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OF THE

CITY OF KINGSTON, ONT.

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THE CITY OFFICIALS

CLERK'S OFFICE.

City Clerk ..... W. W. Sands
Appointed Oct. 22nd, 1906.

Assistant City Clerk (City Clerk June 1st to 4th, 1900) . Sarah E. Flanagan
Appointed August 16th, 1897.

TREASURER'S OFFICE.

City Treasurer ..... Francis C. Ireland
Appointed Assistant, November, 1872, and City Treasurer, April 7th, 1879.

Assistant City Treasurer ..... Oscar V. Bartels
Appointed October, 1887.

Clerk ..... W. A. Newlands
Appointed to Water Works Department Jan. 1st, 1894.

Clerk ..... E. Moore
Taken over with Light Department, August 1st, 1904.

ENGINEER'S OFFICE.

City Engineer ..... Ernest R. Beckwith
Appointed 31st July, 1906.

Assistant City Engineer ..... Richard J. McClelland
Appointed December 18th, 1905.

Foreman of Streets ..... Thomas Timms
Appointed December 21st, 1903.

TAX DEPARTMENT.

Assessor and City Commissioner ..... William S. Gordon
Appointed June 27th, 1881.

Collector of Taxes ..... Oscar V. Bartels
Appointed May 10th, 1904.

OTHER OFFICIALS.

City Solicitor ..... Donald M. McIntyre
Appointed December 2nd, 1895.

Medical Health Officer ..... J. H. Bell, M.D.
Appointed October 9th, 1905.

Sanitary Inspector ..... William S. Gordon
Appointed March 23rd, 1885.

Market Clerk and Sanitary Inspecotr ..... William McCammon
Appointed March 6th, 1907.

Superintendent of Water Works ..... Thomas Hewitt
Appointed January 1st, 1888.

Superintendent of Light Works .....
Appointed August 8th, 1904.

Superintendent of Parks ..... William Phillips
Appointed March 5th, 1894.

Pound Keeper ..... George Adsit
Appointed November 6th, 1905.

Messenger ..... John Ballantyne
Appointed June 9th, 1902.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Commissioners: J. M. Farrell, Police Magistrate, Chairman; C. V. Price, County Judge; His Worship the Mayor; Clerk, W. M. Baillie.

Police Magistrate ..... J. M. Farrell
Appointed October 18th, 1902.

Chief Constable ..... W. M. Baillie
Appointed April 3rd, 1897.

Sergeants..... Robert W. Nesbitt, Alex. Snodden
Constables: Frederick Davis, James A. Craig, N. Timmerman, James Bateson, Samuel J. Arneil, John Naylon, Robert H. Hughes, Thomas Mullinger, Henry K. Filson, Patrick M. Driscoll, Alexander McAdoo.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Samuel S. Corbett, Chairman; His Worship the Mayor, Dr. R. Hanley, John Lemmon, F. Etherington, M.D., Francis King, J. G. Evans.
Secretary ..... W. W. Sands

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Chief ..... John Elmer
Appointed November 5th, 1900.

Assistant Chief ..... Henry Stratford
Appointed Dec. 17th, 1906.

Mechanical Engineer ..... David A. Sinclair
Appointed April 22nd, 1907.

Stoker and Lineman ..... John Hall
Appointed 1880.

Firemen: John Lemmon, William Sands, Samuel Hall, Andrew McKee, Fred. Reid, John Burns, William Cockade.

COURT OF REVISION.

Thos. Dawson, Sheriff, Chairman; Geo. Cliff, Thos. D. Minnes.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

Council Chamber,

Kingston, Jan. 14th, 1907.

An inaugural meeting of the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston for the year 1907 was held in the Council Chamber at 11 o'clock a.m. to-day.

The Police Magistrate administered the declaration of office to the Mayor-elect, John McDonald Mowat, who then took his seat and administered the declarations of office to the Aldermen-elect as follows:

SYDENHAM WARD.

Robert Hanley, M.D., William Gardner Craig and Richard Henry Toye.

ONTARIO WARD.

Robert Edwin Kent, William Folger Nickle and Timothy John Rigney.

ST. LAWRENCE WARD.

John Carson, Robert Fawcett Elliott and David Alexander Givens.

CATARAQUI WARD.

John Gaskin, Dennis Joseph Millan and Lawrence Leopold Henderson.

FRONTENAC WARD.

James Stuart Richardson McCann, Arthur Edward Ross, M.D., and Herbert Nasmith Robertson.

RIDEAU WARD.

Robert James Free, Daniel Couper and Hugh Douglass.

VICTORIA WARD.

Henry Angrove, George Young Chown and Christopher James Graham.

The City Clerk then called the roll, members all present, and the Mayor addressed the Council as follows:

MAYOR'S INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

Kingston, January 14th, 1907.

Gentlemen of the City Council:—I bid you welcome to this council board for 1907, but in doing so I cannot but express regret for those who were with us last year and whose faces we now miss. However, of the seven new members, two are ex-aldermen who did good work in the city council in former years, and the others have achieved a success in their private undertakings that warrants us in expecting public advantage from their presence with us.

In my address to you this morning, I intend to leave the path usually followed by the mayor in his inaugural, while I deal for a few minutes with certain phases of the municipal contest closed on Monday last.

In that election a new feature was introduced, and we had, for the first time in our recent municipal history, an attempt by a few interested parties, who by no means represented the workingmen as a body, or even the labour unions, to arouse class prejudices, and to secure class representation. In this municipality the number of those who are employed greatly predominates over those who are employers, and it says much for the sound and sober judgment of the great majority of these that they resisted the severe pressure brought to bear upon them and refused to allow themselves to be made use of in order to gratify the personal ambition of a few self-seeking individuals. I personally thank the workingmen, who formed the great majority of my supporters, for their confidence and support.

I submit that there is no need for class representation in our municipal council at the present time, and I deprecate the introduction of any movement tending in that direction. So far as our

municipal government is concerned, what we require is honesty, economy and efficiency, and these are needed by all citizens alike and not by one class, trade or calling more than another.

That the workingmen of Kingston appreciate this fact is shown by the vote in the recent mayorality election, and also by that in the various aldermanic contests. None of the gentlemen who were elected to the council for the different wards made any special appeal for workingmen's votes, but submitted to the electors generally the question of their fitness for a place at this council board and the fact of their election is a clear indication that the workingmen of Kingston consider their true representatives to be those who will faithfully and carefully administer the municipal affairs of the city. This is as it should be.

Even the foolish division on party lines has more to recommend it than this new movement. A party candidate represents those in the community in all classes, ranks and callings with whom in general politics he is in agreement, while the candidate of a class represents that class alone, and his candidacy tends to introduce into our community antagonisms and antipathies that can have nothing but evil results. The interests of Kingston are the interests of all her citizens taken together, and her prosperity will redound to the benefit of all classes alike. Let us subdue instead of raising class prejudices and rancours, and try to all work together for the advancement of our good city.

Another point that impressed me very strongly in the late election is the desirability of eliminating the personal canvass of the electors by the candidates. In a political contest, where the platforms of the rival parties are at issue, a personal canvass by a candidate may be justified by the necessity of explaining his policy to the people. But in our municipal elections, where the issues are almost wholly personal, there is no such justification, and the personal solicitation of votes should be beneath the dignity of the office, the candidate and the elector. It may be some time before canvassing is made a statutory offence, although it seems to me that the trend of legislation is in that direction, but at all events much could be accomplished in our community if the best men in municipal life would enter into an agreement to do no personal

solicitation but leave the issue to the unbiased expression of the wishes of the electors.

So much for these general questions. Turning to the work before us this year, the most important point to consider is the spirit in which we shall approach that work. Last year at this time I announced my intention to cut entirely adrift from party politics so far as my chief magistracy was concerned, and I appealed to my colleagues in the council to do so also. Difficult as it was I tried to carry out my pledge to the very letter, and I think the majority of the council, of whatever political stripe, did the same. With the lead given by the council of 1906, progress in this direction should be comparatively easy to you and we should have no hint of party politics from now until the next inaugural meeting. So far as I personally am concerned I do not feel my responsibility to be so great as it was last year. I will try to do my part, I hope that you will do yours.

At the council meeting held on December 17th, 1906, I drew attention to the wretched state of most of our city streets and suggested the adoption of some comprehensive scheme for their improvement. The chief question to be considered in this connection is that of finance. Is the amount at present available for street improvement sufficient to meet the interest and sinking fund of debentures? If not, is the city in position to stand the burden of some additional taxation at present to secure the boon of good roads? Tabulated figures as to certain areas are now before you and I hope that the finance committee and the board of works will give this question their early and earnest consideration.

Two matters that imperatively demand settlement are, what is known as the O'Kill street sewer, and the drainage at the foot of Queen street. There has been too much dallying with respect to both of these important works. The health and comfort of large numbers of our fellow-citizens are at stake and I hope the board of works will grapple with both questions courageously and find a solution of the difficulties.

At the council meeting held on December 3rd, 1906, I called attention to our antiquated method of street lighting, the question as to whether or not the lights were turned on being determined by

whether or not the calendar provided for a moon. In addition to this I think you will all agree with me, all at all events who are familiar with the outlying districts, that the number of lights is utterly inadequate. I hope both these questions will receive the attention of the fire and light, and the light, heat and power committees.

By the spring the extensions to the light plant, both for power and transmission, will be completed. This plant must be run as a sound business concern and due provision made for it to meet its obligations. But it should be distinctly understood that it was not purchased by the city as a money-making investment, but in order that the citizens should receive its benefits and at moderate prices. So, while the plant should be managed with due regard to good financing, there is no reason why the present consumers should be charged unreasonable rates that the plant may be handed over free from debt to the next generation. I suggest that the time is approaching for a considerable lowering of the rates to consumers of both gas and electricity, and I recommend this matter to the consideration of the light, heat and power committee.

In my former inaugural in asking for an increased appropriation for the committee on industries, I suggested that we must be content to sow that others might reap. The able and comprehensive report presented by that committee, on December 17th last, indicate that a great deal of good seed was sown and the appropriation very well spent. I hope so much of the committee as remains will be continued in office and be given the means to prosecute further the good work it commenced.

During the past year, on the initiative of the ladies, a very commendable movement was started, the object of which was to stimulate and cultivate the æsthetic taste of our citizens and to make Kingston beautiful. In this connection I fancy it has occurred to all of us that our treatment of our parks has been far from satisfactory. There has been no continuity of policy with reference to them and the parks committees have usually pottered through the year without accomplishing much in the way of improvement. Other places are at present giving great attention to such matters and the most successful way of dealing with them seems to be to

place them entirely under the control of a commission. I think a commission of three or five public-spirited citizens of artistic taste, whose term of office would extend over a considerable period of time, would soon revolutionize our pulbic breathing places and places of recreation. Such a commission would not only make better use of the appropriation given by the city council, but would, unless the conditions here are different from those that hold in other places, accomplish as much again by way of private enterprise. Possibly it is too much to ask of the parks committee that it should propose to legislate itself out of existence. But I think this idea should receive the serious consideration of the council. I am by no means deterred from making this recommendation by the thought that its adoption might ultimately lead to the management by a commission of all our public utilities.

I will conclude by expressing the hope that that harmony and good fellowship, that unselfish devotion to the public good, which prevailed in the council of 1906, will characterize in an even more marked degree the council of 1907, and that at the close of our year we may have the consciousness of honest, conscientious effort and fair achievement.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Elliott (1) that the address of His Worship the Mayor be referred to the Chairmen of the several committees.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Gaskin (2) that the paragraph of the Whig issue of January 11th, '07, referring to the qualification of Aldermen be read at the table.—Carried.

ARE THEY QUALIFIED?

Position of Aldermen—Alderman Millan's Statement.

The News insinuates that Ald. Millan is not qualified to sit as a member of the city council, charging that he holds a butcher license from the city. Ald. Millan desires the Whig to say that he holds no butcher license, and that he is fully qualified.

The News might pay attention to some aldermen on its own side. Many people are asking if Ald. Nickle is really eligible as a civic representative, in view of the fact that he is a member of the street railway company, which holds a contract with the city for

the supply of power. Two other aldermen, who, it is held, are not qualified, and who are at present the subject of much discussion, are Alds. Ross and Givens. These gentlemen would do well to show the electors that they are qualified, and put an end to views expressed to the contrary.

Standing Committees.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Craig (3), that the mover, seconder, Aldermen Toye, Givens and Angrove be a committee to strike the standing committees for the year 1907.—Carried.

The committee retired and upon returning to council Alderman Gaskin presented report No. 1 from the committee to strike the Standing Committees as follows:

Committee Room,

Kingston, Jan. 14, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Your committee on standing Committees beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

(1) That the Standing Committees for the year 1907 be composed as follows, the first named on each committee to be Chairman:

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

The Mayor, Aldermen Craig, Elliott, Givens, Kent, McCann and Rigney.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Aldermen Gaskin, Free, Graham, Elliott, Hanley, Kent and McCann.

WATERWORKS.

Aldermen Carson, Couper, Craig, Henderson, Millan, Nickle and Rigney.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Aldermen Toye, Chown, Couper, Douglass, Givens, Gaskin and Rigney.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Aldermen Ross, Angrove, Graham, Henderson, Millan, Nickle and Robertson.

PARKS.

Aldermen Kent, Couper, Hanley, Henderson, Millan, Robertson and Toye.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Aldermen Angrove, Couper, Douglass, Elliott, Free, Graham and Ross.

PRINTING.

Aldermen Elliott, Carson, Millan, Nickle and Robertson.

HOUSE OF INDUSTRY.

The Mayor, Aldermen Chown, Craig and Nickle.

INDUSTRIES.

Aldermen Craig, Chown and Robertson.

(2) That the following appointments be made to fill the vacancies caused by retirement:

Governors of the School of Mines, Aldermen Givens and Kent.

Trustees of the Board of Education for High School Purposes, John Marshall and A. W. Richardson.

Members of the Local Board of Health, John McIntyre and John Lemmon.

Member of the Court of Revision, T. D. Minnes.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, Chairman;
W. G. CRAIG,
D. A. GIVENS,
H. ANGROVE,
R. H. TOYE.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Craig (4), that the report of the committee appointed to strike the Standing Committees be received and adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications as summarized by the Clerk were read and referred as follows:

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

City Solicitor re overhead bridge, G. T. R.

City Treasurer re the Dominion Cotton Mill By-law.

J. Ross Robertson, re Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto.

The Deputy Returning Officers asking for increased pay on account of extra work in connection with the plebiscite.

Canadian Municipal Journal, asking Council to subscribe for the members of Council for the year 1907.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ontario Municipal Association re agitation to relieve municipalities of the responsibility for non-repair of highways.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Gutta Percha Rubber Co., Toronto, stating that the company is not in any way or manner a part of or connected with any Labour Merger or Trusts Company.

Chief of the Kingston Fire Department submitting his annual report.

BY-LAWS.

TO ADOPT ASSESSMENT.

Alderman Rigney introduced By-Law No. 1, 1907.

The By-Law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Angrove in the chair; and was signed and sealed as follows:

By-Law No. 1, 1907.

A By-Law to adopt for the year 1907 the Assessment of the Municipality of the City of Kingston made in the year 1906, under the provisions of Section 58 of the "Assessment Act," and of By-

Law No. 459 of this Municipality passed under the authority of said section.

Passed January 14, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. The Assessment of the Municipality made in the year 1906 under the provisions of section 58 of "The Assessment Act" and of By-Law No. 459 of this Municipality, passed under the authority of said section, is hereby adopted as the assessment on which the rate of taxation for the year 1907 shall be levied in this Municipality.

2. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor.
(L.S.)

(Signed) W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

COURT OF REVISION.

Alderman Rigney introduced By-Law No. 2, 1907.

The By-Law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Chown in the chair; and was signed and sealed as follows:

By-Law No. 2, 1907.

A By-Law to appoint two members of the Court of Revision of the City of Kingston.

Passed January 14th, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:

1. That Thomas D. Minnes be and he is hereby appointed a member of the Court of Revision of said City in the place of the member last appointed by the Council of this Municipality.

2. That the appointment of George Cliff by His Worship the Mayor to be a member of the Court of Revision of said City in

the place of the member last appointed by the Mayor be and the same is hereby confirmed.

3. That each member of the Court of Revision of said City shall be paid at the rate of $50.00 per annum.

4. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor.
(L.S.)

(Signed) W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Ald. Rigney introduced By-Law No. 3, 1907.

The By-Law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Carson in the chair; and was signed and sealed, as follows:

By-Law No. 3, 1907.

A By-Law to appoint two trustees on the Board of Education for the City of Kingston for High School purposes to fill the annual vacancies caused by retirement.

Passed, January 14th, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:

1. That John Marshall and A. W. Richardson, M.D., be and they are hereby appointed to be Trustees on the Board of Education for the City of Kingston for High School purposes to fill the vacancies caused by retirement of that number of trustees from the Board as provided by the "High Schools Act."

2. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor.
(L.S.)

(Signed) W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Ald. Rigney introduced By-Law No. 4, 1907.

The By-Law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Couper in the chair; and was signed and sealed as follows:

By-Law No. 4, 1907.

A By-Law to appoint two members of the Local Board of Health for the City of Kingston.

Passed, January 14th, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:

1. The following persons being ratepayers of the said City of Kingston are hereby appointed members of the Local Board of Health for said City to replace the two members of said Board retiring this year, and to continue for three years, ending the second Monday in January, A.D. 1910, to wit, John McIntyre, K.C., and John Lemmon.

2. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor.
(L.S.)

(Signed) W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

SCHOOL OF MINING AND AGRICULTURE.

Ald. McCann introduced By-Law No. 5, 1907.

The By-Law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Craig in the chair; and was signed and sealed, as follows:

By-Law No. 5, 1907.

A By-Law to appoint two representatives of the Municipality of the City of Kingston upon the Board of Governors of the School

of Mining and Agriculture, pursuant to the provisions of 56 Vic., cap. 115.

Passed, January 14th, 1907.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. That R. E. Kent and D. A. Givens be and the same are hereby appointed to be representatives of the Municipality of the City of Kingston upon the Board of Governors of the School of Mining and Agriculture in the place of the two retiring representatives of said Municipality on said Board.

2. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor.
(L.S.)

(Signed) W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Gaskin (5), that the Committee on Consolidation of By-Laws be continued in office and that the City Clerk ask for the necessary tenders for printing the same.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Millan (6), that the Solicitor and Clerk give to this Council at its next meeting a report with details as to the conduct of the election officer referred to in the following extract from the Kingston News of Thursday, January 10th, 1907, and of any other complaint of specific irregularity by an election officer, of which notice shall be given in writing to the Clerk on or before January 19th, 1907.—Carried.

(EXTRACT.)

FURTHER IRREGULARITIES.

Deputy Returning Officer Said To Have Broken Regulations.

There has been much talk in the city since Tuesday last concerning various suspicious occurrences in connection with the run-

ning of the Municipal elections. At Sub-Division No. 10, Cataraqui Ward, a most unusual circumstance occurred. During voting hours, the Deputy Returning Officer there, in some unaccountable manner, ran short of ballots. He telephoned to the City Clerk and was provided with a further supply of 50. With this bundle of important slips in his pocket, he left his position by the ballot boxes and held lengthy conversations with one of the principal Liberal workers in that ward. Then as a further breach of election regulations, this same deputy left his post for about an hour, leaving the poll clerk in charge while he was absent.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Givens (7), that the Council adjourn.—Carried.

The Council adjourned at 1 p.m.

City Clerk.

Kingston, January 28th, 1907.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship, Mayor Mowat, presiding.

Present: Ald. Angrove, Couper, Douglas, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Kent, McCann, Millan, Rigney, Robertson, Toye.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Free (1) that the minutes of the last meetings of Council on Dec. 17th, 1906 and January 14th, 1907, be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications as summarized by the Clerk were read and referred as follows:—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

D. J. Laidlaw, President Citizens' League, requesting Council to pass A By-Law providing for a substantial reduction in the number of Liquor Licenses.

Annie McIlroy, applying for an increase of salary.

S. E. Flanagan, applying for an increase of salary.

Board of Trade, re removal of tolls from the Market.

BOARD OF WORKS.

A. E. Ryan, asking for the decision of the Council re the notification of accident which was given in June, 1906.

Thomas Sullivan, objecting to drain being built from North Street to Raglan Road, as a Local Improvement.

W. J. Crothers, asking permission to dump 100 loads of earth in Cataraqui River.

J. E. Freeman, offering to supply timber for repairing the breakwater.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

T. E. Moncrieff, applying for the position of Permanent Fireman.

W. E. Roberts, applying for a position on the Fire Department.

W. G. Frizell, applying for the position of Chimney Sweep.

WATER WORKS.

Fred Milo, asking for an increase of salary.

FYLED.

Thos. Mills, notifying Council that Cataraqui Bridge Co. had declared a dividend of 3 per cent.

Auditor, showing number of patients in the Hotel Dieu and the General Hospital.

City Solicitor, and City Clerk, submitting a report as to the resolution of Council No. 6, 1907.

BREAKWATER.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Givens (2) that the communication of J. E. Freeman, in regard to the Breakwater, be referred to the Board of Works.—Carried.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT RE ELECTION.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Rigney (3) that the Solicitor's report re election irregularities be fyled.—Carried.

RE MARKET TOLLS.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Givens (4) that the matter of abolishing the Market Tolls be left to the Finance Committee.—Carried.

PETITIONS.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

From C. J. Warwick, and others, for an electric light in Wade's Lane.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

From Duncan Nesbitt, and others, re refund of licenses Kingston & Pembroke Mutual Aid and Benefit Association.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Craig presented report No. 2 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:

Kingston, January 25, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the following amounts be placed to the credit of the following committees as temporary appropriations:—

Board of Works	$3,000
Fire and Light	750
Printing and Stationery	300
City Property	500
Contingencies	350

2. That the communication from Mr. Tessier, Assistant Engineer Board of Railway Commissioners, re the overhead bridge, be referred to the Board of Works.

3. That the request of the Deputy Returning Officers for an increase of pay be not granted.

4. That copies of the Canadian Municipal Journal be ordered for the Treasurer and City Clerk.

5. That on the communication of Ernest Villard his request be not granted.

6. That the communication from the Mayor re Mrs. John Sands, be referred to the Committee on Fire and Light.

7. That the request of Abramson & Barnick for a refund of $25.00, license fee, be granted.

8. That the City Accounts be kept with the Bank of British North America, for the present year, on the same terms as last year, and that the City Solicitor be instructed to prepare the necessary By-Law and Agreement. The amount of money required will be $90,000 at 5 per cent. per annum on overdrawn accounts.

9. That the following accounts having been passed by the Auditor be paid:—

BOARD OF WORKS.

H. Wilton, repairing tape measures	$ 40
T. W. Nash, P.L.S., Prof. services	10 00

Harrison & Co., linen	2 60
Alex. Tait, broken stone	29 10
Pay List, ending Dec. 26th	383 85
John Corbett, supplies	35 92
R. H. Fair, sand	9 60
R. Crawford, wood	5 50
John Angrove, bicycle repairs	11 05
Peter Lowery smithwork	6 08
Pay List ending January 9th	300 96
Bell Tel. Co., to July 1st	20 00
James Sowards, wood	1 65
Canadian Express Co.	75
Municipal Engineering Journal	2 00
F. Tracy, smithwork	9 16
Pay List ending January 23rd	261 68

WATERWORKS.

Pay List ending Dec. 24th	72 06
Pay List ending Dec. 31st	31 35
Pay List ending January 7th	41 58
Queen City Oil Co., cylinder oil	20 75
Light Dept	22 05
T. C. Wilson & Son, horse hire	18 00
Bell Tel. Co. (Pump House)	16 00
Bell Tel. Co. (Supt. Residence)	12 50
Pay List ending Jan. 21st	59 82

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Lemmon & Sons, supplies	7 56
H. Wade, supplies	85
John Elmer, Chief, entertaining visiting firemen	14 00
Wm. P. Peters, straw	5 50
George Hentig, coal oil	1 98
Kingston Coal Co., coal No. 1 Station	12 60
Wm. Smith, sick supply for J. Lemmon	20 00
do. do. do.	18 75
E. Moncrief, sick supply for J. Sands	18 75
do. do. do.	20 00
W. Nicholls, V.S., examination of horses	4 00

D. Hutchison, straw and bran	2 54
Taylor & Hamilton, supplies	3 02
R. E. Wilson, teams for steamer	6 00
Lemmon & Sons, supplies	3 00
Globe Printing Co.	4 50
Light Dept., light and gas to Dec. 31st	56 12
W. P. Peters, hay No. 1 Station	12 07
W. P. Peters, hay No. 2 Station	13 03
Kingston Coal Co.	63 00
W. P. Peters, oats No. 1 Station	17 00
W. P. Peters, oats No. 2 Station	17 00
E. Moncrief, supply for J. Lemmon	8 75
D. McGillivray, supply for J. Hall	6 25
Ewart & Morden, help at steamboat fire	2 50

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Wm. Cockburn, smithwork	23 78
W. J. Morgan, prof. services	11 75
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	180 09
G. T. R., 6 freight bills	3 82
K. & P. R.R., 2 freight bills	18 70
The Robert Mitchell Co., gas meters	11 75
J. J. Brophy, rent of shed	2 00
James Richardson & Sons, mica	6 25
Peter G. Wilmot, horse feed	3 56
Thos. W. Milo, paint	45
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., watt meters	44 48
Geo. R. Tomlinson, supplies and repairs	7 36
Oldrieve & Horn, canvas hose	50
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	36 02
John McDermott, repairs to cart	5 25
Bell Tel. Co., talk to Yarker	25
Street Railway Tickets	8 00
Selby & Youlden, valve boxes	27 60
F. Tracy, smithwork	98
W. J. Paul, linen line	50
Pay List ending December 15th	818 29
Selby & Youlden, supplies and repairs	80 02

John Forman, carbons, etc.	19 38
H. W. Petrie, steam pump	44 00
R. Crawford, hard screenings	1900 60
Thos. W. Milo, paint	1 00
Peter G. Pilmot, horse feed	4 20
J. D. McArthur & Co., repairing belt	14 25
Queen City Oil Co., cylinder oil	14 92
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies	49 19
Joseph Paradis, board	10 50
Thomson & Avery, sawdust	15 00
K. & P. R.R., freight sawdust	39 60
G. T. R., freight gas oil	70 49
G. T. R., freight gas oil	70 68
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil	173 93
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil	174 06
John Corbett, belting, etc.	166 08
G. T. R., 4 freight bills	4 01
Wm. Collins, hay	8 69
John Wood, oats	9 60
Alex. Tait, excavating for Gas Holder	155 52
American Express Co.	40
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps	4 00
Railway fare for Linemen to Ottawa	6 15
W. G. Craig & Co., freight carbons	29 80
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil	137 44
The Can. Gen. Elec. Co., arc lamps	152 10
Can. Oil Co., petrolatum	1 00
Oldrieve & Horn, canvas cover, etc.	28 80
Canadian Oil Co., gasoline	1 60
Dominion Government, duty on dynamo brushes	6 95
A. Maclean, tallow	88
McKelvey & Birch, brass pipe, etc.	255 33
Canadian Westinghouse Co., repairs wattmeter	1 30
K. & P. R.R., shunting and demurage	8 00
K. & P. R.R., freight gas oil	55 71
The Jackson Press	165 50
Pay List ending Dec. 31st	811 60
Diamond Flint Glass Co., globes	33 00

Kingston Street Railway, wire	7 00
W. H. Gough, dynamo brushes	24 00
W. J. Paul, matches	50
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., wattmeters	197 49
The Rathbun Co., lumber and cement	47 58
Dominion Government, meter inspection	78 75
Pay List ending Jan. 15th	689 28
Water Works, December quarter	73 35
Selby & Youlden, repairs	6 80
Simmons Bros., supplies	3 13
Queen City Oil Co., cylinder oil	15 47
G. A. Wright, smithwork	18 69
C. P. R. Tel. Co.	25
Peter Lowery, smithwork	6 00
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., transformers	252 00
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	92
F. Tracy, smithwork	80
Thos. W. Milo, glazing	4 65
R. Uglow & Co., supplies	1 75
G. N. W. Tel. Co. (2 messages)	59
W. B. Dalton & Co., supplies	55 75
Canadian Express (7 bills)	5 05
G. T. R. frieght (5 bills)	3 17
Garlock, Godard & Co., tickets	6 10
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	81 27
G. B. Greening Wire Co., sash cord	56 13
Queen City Oil Co., globe oil	2 50
A. Maclean, candles	75
Bell Tel. Co., to July 1st	41 00
G. T. R. freight gas oil	61 60
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil	131 65
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., supplies	13 54
P. G. Wilmot, oats	6 75
G. R. Tomlinson, supplies	91
John Foreman, carbons	38 63
R. H. Fair, sand	3 50
H. Jennings, rubber boots	5 50
T. C. Wilson & Son, livery	7 50

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Taylor & Hamilton, supplies	5 80
Geo. R. Tomlinson, supplies and repairs	2 31
Taylor & Hamilton, supplies and repairs	15 90
Bell Telephone Co., to July 1st	41 75
W. B. Dalton & Sons., floor brushes	4 50

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

The British Whig	185 75

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

John Angrove, repairs to bicycles	5 70
Bell Telephone Co., to July 1st	20 00

CITY REGISTRY.

R. Uglow & Co., supplies for City Register	9 35
Thos. McAuley, supplies for City Register	3 15
McKelvey & Birch, supplies for City Register	10 02

CONTINGENCIES.

R. Reeves, removing dead animals	16 50
C. Lewis, removing dead animals	5 50
Annie McIlroy, typewriting to Dec. 31st	8 00
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps (City Clerk)	10 00
O. G. Johnson, wreath, Mrs. Nickle	10 00
Bell Tel. Co., Clerk to Judge Madden	25
G. N. W. Tel. Co. (2 messages)	61
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps, Treasurer	5 00
J. P. Hanley, pauper passes	7 50
W. W. Sands, registration fees	195 20
Municipal World, 1907	2 00
Annie McIlroy, typewriting to Jan. 28th	16 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Board of Education, interest	60 00
House of Industry, interest Skinner and Watkins bonds	114 00
Light Dept., gas and electric light, Dec. quarter	122 67
J. Tandom, commission on street watering col	32 87

Refund for vacancies 1905-1906.... .... 465 74
Municipal Election expenses 364 75

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed D. A. GIVENS.
W. G. CRAIG,
R. F. ELLIOTT,
J. S. R. McCANN,
R. E. KENT,
T. J. RIGNEY.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Givens (5) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 3 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, January 24th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the City Engineer communicate with the Honourable William Harty and the Public Works Department of the Dominion Government and inform them that the ice in the harbor is now in good condition and favourable for the taking of the necessary soundings by Mr. Sing for the purpose of making a report respecting the removal of the dangerous shoals in Kingston Harbour as referred to in the letter from the Acting Minister of Public Works to the Honourable William Harty.

2. That the Chairman and City Engineer be authorized to make purchases up to $20.00 for the Board of Works.

3. That the districts to be watered by the Corporation during the year 1907 be the same as for 1906 and that the City Solicitor be requested to prepare the necessary By-Law.

4. That the City Council petition the Dominion Government setting forth the need of the outer harbour of Kingston for protection, and suggesting that such protection can best be furnished by

the construction of a Breakwater extending from the vicinity of Clark's Malt House into the harbour a sufficient distance: that such a Breakwater would make the outer harbour safe for large vessels in all weather and greatly increase the capacity of the harbour: your committee recommend that the petition be placed in the hands of the Honourable Mr. Harty for presentation to the proper authority and that if deemed necessary a deputation of this Council attend at Ottawa to urge the prayer of said petition upon the Government.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, Chairman.
C. J. GRAHAM,
ROBT. J. FREE,
R. E. KENT,
R. F. ELLIOTT,
ROBERT HANLEY,
J. S. R. McCANN.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott (6) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Ross presented report No. 4 from the Committee on Fire and Light, as follows:—

Kingston, Jan. 24th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the sum of $100 be placed at the disposal of the Chairman for the purpose of purchasing supplies pending the passing of accounts.

2. That W. J. Smith be appointed permanent Fireman.

3. That F. Reid be appointed Foreman Fire Dept. No. 1 Station. That Wm. Sands be appointed Foreman, Fire Dept. No. 2 Station.

4. That Finance Committee be asked to provide $250 for the purchase of hose and heater contracted for but not delivered in 1906.

5. That a By-Law be introduced to appoint a chimney viewer, such By-Law to regulate his duties, etc., and the appointment to be for one year only.

6. That the Finance Committee be asked to provide this Committee with funds to put into effect changes in the Department which were adopted by the Council of last year.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) A. E. ROSS, Chairman;
H. M. ROBERTSON,
D. J. MILLAN,
W. F. NICKLE,
H. ANGROVE,
C. J. GRAHAM.

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Robertson (7) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Givens presented report No. 5 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

Kingston, January 23rd, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That on the communication of Capt. Jas. F. Allen the request be not granted.

2. That the Chairman be authorized to issue orders for the necessary repairs or supplies up to $20.00.

3. That the purchase of hardware for the vestibules be left to the Chairman and City Engineer.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) H. ANGROVE, Chairman;
D. COUPER,
H. DOUGLASS,
R. F. ELLIOTT,
ROBT. J. FREE,
C. J. RRAHAM,
A. E. ROSS.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Elliott (8) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

Parks.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 6 from the Committee on Parks as follows:—

Kingston, January 23rd, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Parks beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That this Committee recommend the City Council to authorize the Finance Committee to place the sum of $300.00 to the credit of the Parks Committee for immediate use, for the purpose of taking care of the lumber, etc., of the Breakwater and that the work in connection with the same be carried out under the supervision of the Chairman of this Committee and the City Engineer.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Chairman;
H. N. ROBERTSON,
D. J. MILLAN,
R. H. TOYE,
D. COUPER,
ROBT. HANLEY.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Nickle (9) that the report of the Committee on Parks be received and adopted.—Withdrawn with the consent of Council.

Special Committee.

Ald. Givens presented report No. 7 from the Special Committee on the Consolidation of By-Laws as follows:—

Consolidation of By-Laws.

Kingston, January 25, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Consolidation of By-Laws beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the tender for the printing of the By-Laws under the process of consolidation has been awarded to the British Whig Printing Co., at $2.15 per page, for 200 copies, this tender being the lowest.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) D. A. GIVENS, Chairman;
T. J. RIGNEY,
W. F. NICKLE.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Rigney (10) that the report of the Special Committee on Consolidation of By-Laws be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER IN KING ST.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-Law No. 6, 1907.

The By-Law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Craig in the Chair; and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 6, 1907.

A By-Law to authorize the construction of a common sewer in a part of King Street, in the City of Kingston, as a Local Improvement under provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

Passed, January 28th, 1907

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston has received a recommendation from the Board of Health of the said City, for the construction of a common sewer under the provisions of the "Municipal Act" in that behalf, and under the powers conferred by Section 668, Sub-section 4 of "The Municipal Act" in King Street, starting from a point 78 feet North of Union Street, northerly 63 feet in the City of Kingston, and the said Council has by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of the said Council at a regular meeting of said Council, affirmed that it is desirable and necessary in the public interest, to construct the said sewer for the purpose of draining the said locality for sanitary

and drainage purposes, as a local improvement to be paid for by special assessment of the real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said improvement.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to construct the said improvement as recommended by the said Board of Health and the City Engineer.

AND WHEREAS the estimated cost of the said improvement including interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned is $60.00 part of which cost $37.65 is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4 and the remainder is to be assessed on the real property immediately benefited and assessable, but it is deemed advisable to defer making the final special assessment for the part of the cost of the said improvement including interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned to be levied for by such assessment on the real property immediately benefited by said improvement liable to be assessed therefor as aforesaid until the exact cost of the said improvement including said interest has been ascertained after its completion, when the said estimated cost, the proportion thereof to be provided by the Municipality at large, and the proportions thereof to be assessed on the various portions of real estate so benefited as aforesaid, shall be adjusted in accordance with the said exact cost.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. A Common Sewer shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as a local improvement under the provisions of the said Act, and under the authority aforesaid to be paid for by a special assessment of the real property immediately benefited thereby liable to assessment, except that part of the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, in that part of King Street hereinbefore in the recital to this By-Law mentioned and described, which said sewer shall have a sectional area of 28.274 square inches and shall be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by the said City Engineer and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sewer except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned and to meet the interest and principal of the debentures to be issued for the same as hereinafter mentioned in Section 3, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the said real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said improvement and liable to be assessed, according to the frontage of the said property for a period to be hereinafter determined, but within the probable life of the said improvement as shall be certified by the said City Engineer which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law, but to enable this Council to avoid the necessity of making a second or other additional assessment or a refund in case of an over-assessment, such assessment shall not be finally made until the exact cost of the said improvement has been ascertained after its completion and in the meantime a temporary loan shall be affected by the Mayor and City Treasurer to meet such cost, except as aforesaid, as provided by law in such cases.

3. Upon the completion of the said improvement the City Engineer shall ascertain the exact cost of the same exclusive of the interest on the said temporary loan and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan as mentioned in Section 4 shall be deducted therefrom and the interest on the temporary loan being added to the balance thus obtained the said final special assessment shall be made on the real property immediately benefited by the said improvement for the said amount by an annual special frontage rate on said real property as aforesaid and to repay the said temporary loan and interest, the said amount consisting of the said balance and the interest on the said temporary loan aforesaid, shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation which shall be issued on the security of the said special assessment and rate and may be further guaranteed by this Council if it see fit as provided by law and the necessary By-Laws shall be passed for the said purpose.

4. This Council shall provide out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan to be raised upon debentures issued for the purpose as authorized by law, the cost of all culverts and other

works necessary for Street surface drainage made in connection with the said sewer, and also the cost of that part of the said sewer which is incurred at and chargeable in respect of Street intersections, and also one-half of the cost of that part of the sewer done or made opposite real property if such property is but on one side of it, which by any general or special Act is exempt from special or local assessment and also the cost of the whole of that part of the said sewer done or made opposite real property if such property is on both sides of it which is so exempt from special or local assessment.

5. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]

(Signed) W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

TO AUTHORIZE CITY TREASURER.

Ald. Nickle presented By-Law No. 7, 1907.

The By-Law was read a first time and, the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Douglass in the Chair; and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 7, 1907.

A By-Law to authorize the Head and Treasurer of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, to borrow certain sums to meet the now current expenditure.

Passed, January 28th, 1907.

WHEREAS, in order to meet the now current expenditure of the Corporation, it is necessary to borrow money in anticipation until such time as the taxes to be levied therefor can be collected, and whereas it is necessary under Clause 435 of the Consolidated Municipal Act, 1903, to pass a By-Law authorizing such to be done.

AND WHEREAS, the sum of Ninety Thousand Dollars is required to meet the now current expenses of the said Corporation and to pay the moneys required for school purposes and such sum

does not exceed ninety per cent. of the estimates for the current year, and it is expedient to authorize the Head and Treasurer to borrow the said sum:

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. That the Head and Treasurer of the said Corporation be, and they are hereby authorized under the seal of the Corporation to borrow from the Bank of British North America, the sum of Ninety Thousand Dollars, required to meet the now current expenditure of said Corporation and to pay the moneys required for school purposes.

2. That the said Head, with the Treasurer aforesaid, be, and they are, hereby authorized to pay or allow the said Bank interest on the said sum so borrowed at the rate of five per cent. per annum.

3. That the promissory note or notes, covenant or agrement, sealed with the Corporation Seal and signed on behalf of the Corporation by the Mayor and Treasurer, be duly executed and given to the said Bank as aforesaid as security for the payment of the amount borrowed with interest thereon as aforesaid.

4. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]

(Signed) W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Toye (11) that photographs be taken of the condition of the ice at the Breakwater for the purpose of demonstrating to the Government the great necessity of building a Breakwater.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Graham (12) that whereas the harbour opposite the prolongation of many of the City Streets notably Ontario Street, King Street and Bay Street have been filled in and it is desirable in many cases to continue City Streets to the water's edge as at present defined and to preserve the City's right to do so.

And whereas it is desirable in the public interest that wherever possible our City Streets should be extended to the water's edge, however the water's edge may vary from time to time.

Be it resolved that the City Engineer be instructed to investigate and report upon all City Streets extending to the water's edge and all streets which, if prolonged would extend to the water's edge of the harbour and to report also upon the condition of the slips and wherever the same are, in any way, being encroached upon or encumbered.—Carried.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Carson (13) that the Council do now adjourn.

The Council adjourned at 11 P. M.

City Clerk.

Kingston, February 11th, 1907.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present: Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Couper, Craig, Douglas, Elliott, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, Henderson, Kent, McCann, Millan, Nickle, Rigney, Robertson, Ross and Toye.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Couper (1) that the minutes of the last meeting be received and adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications as summarized by the Clerk were read and referred as follows:

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Bell Telephone Co., showing gross receipts of the Company for the year 1906.

William Gurd, London, soliciting an order for dog tags.

Canadian Association for the Prevention of Consumption and other forms of Tuberculosis, extending an invitation to attend their meeting at Ottawa on March 13th and 14th.

G. B. Cregan, soliciting an order for a Map of the Dominion.

W. D. Lighthall, Secretary of the Union of Canadian Municipalities, asking this City to join that Association.

George A. Grant, Secretary North American Telegraph Co., showing the gross receipts of the Company for 1906.

Jos. F. Swift, notifying the Council that the Policy with the Waterloo Insurance Co. expires on the 20th February.

W. G. Craig & Co., asking for a refund of taxes.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Good Roads Machinery Co., soliciting an order for road making machines.

W. Turkington, asking privilege of Council to remove building from the corner of Bagot and Johnson Streets to Patrick Street.

FIRE AND IGHT.

Samuel Hall, applying for an increase of salary.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

James Reid, asking to be allowed for time lost while he was off duty on account of an accident.

Lieut-Col. Douglas Young, requesting a tender for the lighting of the Kingston Armouries.

INDUSTRIES.

D. Noonan, asking Council for a grant of $100 to advertise the City.

The Montreal Star, soliciting advertisements.

FYLED.

W. H. Miller, submitting a statement of the number of patients in the Hospitals.

REMOVAL OF BUILDING.

Moved by Ald. McCann, seconded by Ald. Graham (2) that the communication of W. Turkington be referred to the Chairman of the Board of Works and the City Engineer with power to act.—Carried.

PETITIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Henry Ward and others, for an electric light on the corner of Park and Victoria Streets.

G. Auchinvole and others, for an electric light on the corner of Stuart Street and St. Lawrence Avenue.

J. A. Craig and others, for an electric light on Clergy Street West.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Givens presented report No. 8 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Finance and Accounts.

Committee Room,

Kingston, Feb. 8th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That an interim appropriation of $1,750 be made to the Committee on Fire and Light to cover the cost of changes to be made in that Department and were adopted by Council of last year and to cover the cost of hose and heater contracted for in 1906.

2. That the number of hotel licenses be reduced by three.

3. That we strongly recommend to the License Commissioners when making these reductions that the houses cut off be allowed six months' extension license from May 1st.

4. That insurance policies be renewed with the Companies which held the City's business of last year.

5. That the account of the treasurer amounting to $50.00 for clerical assistance be paid.

6. That the following accounts having passed by the Auditor be paid:

BOARD OF WORKS.

Canadian Express Co	$ .80
George Adsit, wood	6.00
James Sowards, wood	4.95
Pay List, ending February 6th	315.47
Miss McCormack, rent of house, Centre street	15.00
Thos. White, broken stone	.50
Harrison & Co., transit	150.00
John Corbett, supplies	55.42

WATER WORKS.

Can. Casualty & Boiler Insurance Co. (Premium)	60.00
G. T. R. cartage pipe	6.10
Pay List, ending February 4th	59.82

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Bell Tel. Co., to July 1st	21.00
Light Dept., lighting streets, December quarter	1918.02
George Sears, supplies	2.66
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	4.40
W. P. Peters, oats No. 2 Station	17.00
D. McGillivray, sick supply for J. Hall	6.25

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Dominion Government, meter inspection	45.00
Pay List, ending January 31st	634.18
John Corbett, supplies	93.36
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	6.25
J. A. Dawson & Co., insulators	21.40
Canadian Oil Co., wood alcohol	19.00
Garlock Packing Co., packing	53.25
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., meters	66.72

Simmons Bros., supplies	13.39
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies	50.78
Union Assurance Society, renewal	25.00
CITY PROPERTY.	
Kingston Coal Co.	69.30
BOARD OF HEALTH.	
S. S. Corbett, use of ambulance	2.00
CITY REGISTRY OFFICE.	
Light Dept., gas, December quarter	5.15
CONTINGENCIES.	
S. S. Corbett, pauper burial (Monday)	12.00
Can. Express for Registration Book, City Clerk	.40
Annie McIlroy, typewriting to February 11th	8.00
MISCELLANEOUS.	
City Portion of Court House expenses, 1906	1734.35

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor and Chairman;
T. J. RIGNEY,
J. S. R. McCANN,
R. E. KENT,
D. A. GIVENS.
W. G. CRAIG.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Rigney (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Gaskin, that clauses 2 and 3 be referred back to Finance Committee for further consideration.

The amendment was lost on the following division:—

Yeas,—Ald. Carson, Couper, Gaskin, Hanley, Henderson, Millan, Robertson, Ross.—8.

Nays,—Mayor Mowat, Ald. Angrove, Chown, Craig, Douglas, Elliott, Free, Givens, Graham, Kent, McCann, Nickle, Rigney, Toye.—14.

The original motion was then put to Council and carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 9 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Feb. 7th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. On the communication of C. L. Curtis re account for concrete walk in front of his house on King Street, that his request be not granted.

2. On the petition of Thomas Sullivan against the construction of a sewer on Montreal Street from Montreal Street to Raglan Road, under the Local Improvement plan, that the petition be not granted, as a petition has already been sufficiently signed to grant the same.

3. On the communication of W. J. Crothers & Co., no action.

4. That the City Engineer be authorized to advertise for tenders for supplies and material for the Department for the year 1907.

5. That the Transit purchased by the City for use in the City Engineer's Department shall not be loaned to anyone.

6. That the Water Works and The Light, Heat & Power Departments be charged $25.00 each towards paying for the Transit for the City's use.

7. That the City Engineer's report and statements of the actual cost of the following walks (see schedule) built under the Local Improvement plan be adopted and that the Court of Revision be called to confirm the same.

8. That the City Engineer's report and statements of the actual cost of the following Local Improvement Sewers (see schedule) be adopted and that the Court of Revision be called to confirm the same.

SCHEDULE CONCRETE WALKS, 1906.

	The actual cost of total improvement.	Portion of the actual cost to be provided by the Municipality.
By Petition.		
Albert St., West side, from Princess St. to south limit of lot No. 652	$ 128 19	$ 92 43
Bagot St., West side, from Earl St. south to connect with an asphalt walk north of Union St.	425 28	186 33
Barrie St., East side, from William St. to Johnson St.	252 79	147 02
Bay St., North side, from Bagot St. to Rideau St.	241 37	115 48
Brock St., South side, from Clergy St. to 444½ feet east	324 80	224 28
Chatham St., West side, from Elm St. to Fifth St.	105 42	50 32
Clergy St., East side, from Princess St. to Queen St.	217 33	155 88
Corrigan St., North side, from Rideau St. to 160 feet west	115 02	48 82
Elm St., North side, from Chatham St. 65 feet west.	40 72	34 19
Fifth St., South side, from Chatham St., 65 feet east.	47 83	37 00
Frontenac St., West side, from Johnson St. to Brock St.	320 41	142 34
Quebec St., North side, from Division St. east 180 feet.	150 54	64 19
Wellington St., West side, from Union St. to West St., thence northerly along West St. to Union St.	352 12	236 15

By two-thirds vote of Council.

Albert St., East side, from Stuart St. south 86 feet....	58 70	57 06
Alice St., North side, from Alfred St. to Frontenac St.	112 63	45 05
Bagot St., West side, from John St. north 219 feet....	154 63	70 52
Barrack St., South side, from King St. to Ontario St..	293 16	192 92
Barrack St., North side, from King St. to Wellington St.	250 30	180 98
Barrie St., East side, from Queen St. to Colborne St...	140 27	66 77
Charles St., North side, from Rideau St. to Bagot St..	425 79	174 84
Clergy St., East side, from Princess St. to Brock St..	122 96	57 70
Division St., East side, from Queen St. to Colborne St.	165 81	104 45
Earl St., South side, from Bagot St. west 250 feet....	295 33	143 90
Frontenac St., West side, from Mack St. to Princess St.	520 88	276 05
Johnson St., North side, from Ontario St. east 129 feet	124 69	80 68
King St., West side, from Barrack St. south 183 feet..	163 16	109 60
King St., West side, from Place D'Armes to Barrack St.	174 62	79 91
King St., North side, from Beverley St. west 160 ft. 7 in.	141 87	65 87
Ordnance St., North side, from Wellington St. to Rideau St.....	189 54	84 98
Place D'Armes, South side, from King St. to Ontario St.	253 36	154 60
Princess St., South side, from Alfred St. to Victoria St.	1215 30	616 87
Princess St., South side, from Victoria St. to Regent St.	1231 00	505 36
Princess St., North side, Victoria St. to a point opposite Regent St.....	1203 66	611 13
Princess St., North side, from Alfred St. to Nelson St.	956 51	462 96
Queen St., South side, from King St. to Ontario St....	296 21	166 81
St. Lawrence Ave., West side, from Stuart St. south 106 feet	86 51	81 15
Wellington St., East side, from Queen St. to Princess St.	307 84	160 12
Wellington St., West side, from Ordnance St. north 260 feet.....	189 74	118 89
Wellington St., East side, from Place D'Armes north 190 feet	155 24	62 10

By Initiative of Council.

Bagot St., West side, from Queen St. to Princess St...	267 60	177 18
Barrack St., South side, from King St. to Wellington St.	279 33	140 54
Barrie St., East side, from Colborne St. to North St...	190 40	113 40
Barrie St., West side, from Colborne St. to North St..	150 17	89 40
Clergy St., West side, from Queen St. to Colborne St..	176 93	83 83
Colborne St., North side, from Clergy St. to Barrie St..	334 94	142 69
Deacon St., South side, from Barrie St. to Arch St.....	184 54	101 41
Division St., West side, from Earl St. to Clergy St. W..	184 72	110 33
Division St., East side, from Princess St. to Queen St..	179 25	81 40
Dufferin St., North side, from Rideau St. to Bagot St..	333 61	138 54
Earl St., North side, from Division St. to University Ave...	394 60	180 89
Earl St., South side, from Clergy St. to Barrie, thence south to Clergy, thence northerly to Earl St. at starting point	409 98	261 18
Frontenac St., East side, from Johnson St. to Brock St.	330 58	151 72
Gore St., South side, from Wellington St. to Bagot St.	292 53	150 44
Johnson St., South side, from Barrie St. to Division St.	330 72	157 04
Johnson St., North side, from Albert St. to Alfred St..	501 00	275 06
Johnson St., North side, Bagot St., from Sydenham St.	492 86	492 86
King St., East side, from Place D'Armes, to Barrack St.	205 06	91 64
King St., North side, from Ellerbeck St. 470 feet easterly	371 31	167 39

King St., North side, from O'Kill St. to University Ave.	420 40	280 13
King St., North side, from Beverley St. to Collingwood St.	223 63	97 22
Montreal St., East side, from James St. to John St.	578 16	245 02
Montreal St., East side, from North St. to Raglan Road	354 43	151 61
North St., South side, from Barrie St. to Ordnance St.	57 48	40 68
O'Kill St., South side, from Barrie St. to George St.	196 80	101 60
O'Kill St., East side, from King St. to George St.	281 54	145 91
Ordnance St., South side, from North St. to Clergy St.	284 22	122 78
Ordnance St., South side, from Sydenham St. to Montreal St.	263 60	108 50
Princess St., North side, from Division St. easterly 536 feet	460 27	221 71
Queen St., South side, from Barrie St. to Chapman St.	272 78	116 88
Queen St., North side, from King St. to Ontario St.	303 69	232 84
Queen St., South side, from Clergy St. to Sydenham St.	314 05	131 35
Raglan Road, West side, from Bagot St. to Montreal St.	175 12	114 98
Rideau St., West side, from Dufferin St. to Cataraqui St.	459 96	233 94
St. Lawrence Ave., East side, from Stuart St. to King St.	309 45	189 86
Stuart St., South side, from St. Lawrence Ave. to Albert St.	240 08	109 58
Sydenham St., West side, from Ordnance St. to Colborne St.	247 68	116 92
Sydenham St., East side, from Ordnance St. to Queen St.	428 43	344 71
University Ave., East side, from Earl St. to Johnson St.	500 32	221 32
Wellington St., West side, from Gore St. to Union St.	220 39	96 68
West St., East side, from Sydenham St. south 141 feet.	134 88	108 84
West St., East side, from Earl St. to Sydenham St.	363 60	211 74
William St., North side, from King St. to Ontario St.	213 62	119 80

SCHEDULE TILE SEWERS.

1. Rideau St. from a point 536.5 feet north of Cataraqui St., southerly to connect with a tile sewer in Cataraqui St.	547 15	106 26
2. King St., starting from a point 78 feet north of Union St., northerly 63 feet	60 65	37 68

Respectively submitted.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, Chairman;
ROBT. J. FREE,
R. E. KENT,
J. S. R. McCANN,
ROBT. HANLEY,
C. J. GRAHAM.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Graham (4) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Carson, that clause 6 of the report of the Board of Works be struck out. The amendment was lost and the original motion carried.

Water Works.

Ald. Carson presented report No. 10 from the Committee on Water Works as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, February 4th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. When urgently required small purchases may be made by the Superintendent but no such purchases shall exceed the sum of $20.00.

2. That the tender of the Frontenac Lumber & Coal Co. for 500 feet 1½-inch matched pine at $47.50 per M., B.M., for Engine Room floor, be accepted.

3. On the communication of F. D. Milo, applying for an increase in salary, that the salary of F. D. Milo be increased $100 per annum; that it is the opinion of the Committees that, in the best interests of the ratepayers and the employees of the City, a central committee should be appointed, with the Mayor as Chairman, to consider the wages of all the employees of the City, and the terms of their employment, and to adjust the same on such salaries as may secure permanency for a term of years.

4. That the water rate on the Gymnasium, Queen's University, be $125 net per annum.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) ALD. CARSON, Chairman;
objecting to clause 3.
D. COUPER,
W. G. CRAIG.
L. L. HENDERSON,
D. J. MILLAN,
T. J. RIGNEY.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Nickle (5) that the report of the Committee on Water Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Ross presented report No. 11 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Feb. 8th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That an incandescent light of 32-C. P. be ereceted in Wade's Lane.

2. That the salary of the Assistant Chief be the same as his predecessors, to take effect from the date of appointment.

3. In connection with the revision of the City By-laws your Committee recommends that the following be the fire limits within which only solid brick, stone or concrete buildings shall be erected hereafter.

Commencing at the water's edge on the centre line of West Street, thence, northerly along the centre of West Street till it intersects the centre line of Kings St. thence northerly along the centre line of King Street till it intersects the centre line of Johnson St., thence westerly along the centre line of Johnson St., until it intersects the centre line of Wellington St., thence northerly along the centre of Wellington St. till it intersects the centre line of Clarence St., thence northwesterly along the centre line of Clarence St. till it intersects the centre line of Brock Street, thence westerly along the centre line of Brock St., till it intersects the centre line of Barrie St., thence northerly along the centre line of Barrie St. till it intersects the centre line of Queen St. till it intersects the centre line of King St., thence northerly along the centre line of King St. till it intersects the centre line of Place d'Armes; thence easterly along the centre line of Place d'Armes till it intersects the centre line of Ontario St.; thence northerly along the centre line of Ontario St. and the line of Ontario St., produced northerly to the waters of the harbor; thence easterly, southerly, and westerly along the waters edge of the harbor to the place of beginning, together with the water lots in the harbor lying south and east of the city between the centre line of West St. at the waters edge, and the centre line of Ontario St. produced northerly to the waters edge of the harbor.

4. That the above limits be substituted in the revised by-laws for the limits defined in the existing by-laws within which only solid brick, stone or concrete buildings shall be erected.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) A. E. ROSS, Chairman;
D. J. MILLAN,
L. L. HENDERSON,
H. ANGROVE,
C. J. GRAHAM,
H. N. ROBERTSON,
W. F. NICKLE.

Moved by Ald. Robertson, seconded by Ald. Millan (6) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 12 from the Committee on Light, Heat and Power as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Feb. 5th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That J. M. Campbell be authorized to issue tenders for a new heater to be used in connection with the feeder to the boilers at the Light, Heat and Power Plant.

2. That the Chairman be authorized to issue orders for the necessary repairs or supplies up to $20.00 as required.

3. That the Committee be authorized to tender for the general supplies for the year 1907, such material and supplies which are used in the operation of the plant.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman;
JOHN GASKIN,
D. A. GIVENS,
D. COUPER,
H. DOUGLAS,
G. Y. CHOWN,
T. J. RIGNEY.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Rigney (7) that the report of the Committee on Light, Heat and Power be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Angrove presented report No. 13 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Feb. 8th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the City Engineer be instructed to prepare specifications to light the City Council Chambers and entrances to the City Buildings, these to be added to the specifications already made for lighting and to call for tenders.

2. That this Committee recommend to Council the advisability of appointing a Market Clerk, Harbour Master, Assistant Sanitary Inspector and to perform such other duties as he may be called upon from time to time to do by this Council.

Respectfully Submitted.

(Signed) H. ANGROVE, Chairman;
D. COUPER,
H. DOUGLAS,
ROBT. J. FREE,
C. J. GRAHAM,
A. E. ROSS,
R. F. ELLIOTT.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Couper (8) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

STREET WATERING.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 8, 1907.

The By-Law was read a first time and, the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Elliott in the Chair; and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 8, 1907.

A By-Law to define certain areas within the Municipality of the City of Kingston in which the Streets shall be watered for the year 1907.

PASSED, February 11th, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. During the year 1907 the streets in the said City of Kingston within the several areas hereinafter defined shall be watered

by the Corporation of the said City of Kingston: to Wit, the streets within the several areas formed by the City lots or properties fronting or abutting upon the streets or parts of streets in said City and by the said streets and parts of streets as follows:—

(1) Ontario Street, from the North side of West Street to the North side of Place D'Armes.

(2) King Street, from the West side of Alert Street to the North side of Place d'Armes.

(3) Wellington Street, from the North side of West Street to a point opposite the northerly limit of the property of the late Delos Grimshaw.

(4) Bagot Street, from the north side of Barrie Street to the south side of Barrack Street.

(5) Montreal Street, from the north side of Brock Street to the south side of John Street.

(6) Sydenham Street, from the north side of West Street to the south side of Johnson Street.

(7) Sydenham Street, from the north side of Princess Street to the south side of Colborne Street.

(8) Clergy Street, from the east side of Barrie Street to the north side of Colborne Street.

(9) Barrie Street, from the north side of King Street to the south limit of Colborne Street.

(10) University Avenue, from the North side of King Street to the south side of Princess Street.

(11) Division Street, from the north side of Union Street to a point opposite the north limit of Captain Battan's property on the west side of Division Street.

(12) Alfred Street, from the north side of Union Street to the south side of Elm Street.

(13) Stuart Street, from the east side of University Avenue to the west side of Barrie Street.

(14) Court Street, from the east side of Barrie Street to the south side of West Stret.

(15) Union Street, from the east side of Alfred Street to the west side of Barrie Street.

(16) Clergy Street West, from the east side of University Avenue to the west side of Barrie Street.

(17) West Street, from the west side of Ontario Street to the east side of Sydenham Street.

(18) Union Street, from the west side of Ontario Street to the east side of Bagot Street.

(19) Gore Street, from the west side of Ontario Street to the east side of Bagot Street.

(20) Earl Street, from the west side of Ontario Street to the west side of Alfred Street.

(21) William Street, from the west side of Ontario Street to the east side of Barrie Street.

(22) Johnson Street, from the Grand Trunk Railway Tracks to the east side of Alfred Street.

(23) Clarence Street, from the Grand Trunk Railway Tracks to the east limit of Bagot Street.

(24) Market Street, from the west limit of Ontario Street to the east limit of King Street.

(25) Brock Street, from the Grand Trunk Railway Tracks to the east side of Alfred Street.

(26) Princess Street, from the Grand Trunk Railway Tracks to the east side of Tower Street.

(27) Queen Street, from the Grand Trunk Railway Tracks to the east side of Division Street.

(28) Colborne Street, from the west side of Sydenham Street to the east side of Division Street.

(29) Barrack Street, from the west side of Ontario Street to the east side of Bagot Street.

(30) Place d'Armes, from the west side of Ontario Street to the east side of Wellington Street.

(31) Rideau Street, from the north side of Barrack Street to the south side of Bay Street.

2. That a special rate of 2½ cents per foot frontage be imposed and the same is hereby imposed for the year 1907, upon all the assessable real property within the said several areas in the preceding section defined according to the frontage thereof in order to pay the expenses of watering the said streets therein during the said year, and which rate shall be in addition to all other rates for which said real property is, or shall be liable, provided always that a sum equal to the said rate upon the frontage of all properties

within said several areas, exempt by law from the said rate shall be borne and paid by the said Corporation of the City of Kingston out of the general funds of the Municipality; and provided also that the cost of watering any of the said streets opposite any other intersecting street or streets shall be borne and paid by the said Corporation of the City of Kingston out of the general funds of the Municipality; provided further that corner lots shall be assessed for a frontage equal to twice the frontage of the shortest side; and provided that the charge upon the triangular property occupied by Dr. James Third shall be $5 and the charge upon the triangular property occupied by Chalmer's Church shall be $5.

3. That the City Assessor of the City of Kingston, with such assistant or assistants as may be necessary, do forthwith prepare and deliver to the City Clerk a Roll containing all the assesed real property within the said areas with the frontages thereof on the said streets, and the names and roll numbers of the owners as they appear on the last revised assessment roll.

4. The City Clerk shall place upon the Collector's Roll or Rolls, opposite the several names of the persons assessable, the amounts assessable against the several properties of said owners in respect of such special rate, as shown in the roll in the previous section mentioned.

5. The said amounts shall be payabe on the 15th day of June next, to the Collector of Municipal Taxes of the City of Kingston, who is hereby authorized to collect the said amounts at the same time, in the same manner and with the like remedies as ordinary taxes upon real estate are collectable under the provisions of the Assessment Act.

6. That the amounts collected from the said rate and contributed by the said Corporation as aforesaid shall be expended in paying the cost of watering of the said streets within the said areas and not otherwise.

7. That no street or part of street, or square, or part of square outside the area or areas above defined shall be watered except upon the petition of at least two-thirds of the freeholders and householders resident in and on properties abutting on such street or part of a street, or square, or part of a square, representing in

value at least one-half of the assessed real property therein as required by Section 686, sub-Section 1, of the "Municipal Act," and the City Assessor shall certify whether such petition has been sufficiently signed before any by-law be passed to give it effect.

8. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]
(Signed) W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

TO LIMIT THE NUMBER OF TAVERN LICENSES.

Ald. Givens presented By-Law No. 9.

The By-Law was read a first time and, the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Gaskin in the Chair; and was signed and sealed, as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 9, 1907.

A By-Law to limit the number of tavern licenses to be issued in the City of Kingston.

PASSED, February 11th, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. The number of tavern licenses to be issued in the Municipality of the City of Kingston for the ensuing year beginning on the first day of May A.D. 1907 and for any future year until this By-Law is altered or repealed is hereby limited to twenty-eight.

2. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]
(Signed) W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

His Worship the Mayor read an invitation to attend the Engineers' At Home, City Hall, February 11th which was unanimously accepted by the members of Council.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Nickle (9) that Council do now adjourn.

The Council adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

City Clerk.

Kingston, February 25th, 1907.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present: Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Couper, Craig, Douglass, Elliott, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, Henderson, Kent, McCann, Nickle, Robertson, Ross, Toye.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Couper (1), that the minutes of the last meeting be received and adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication was read from the Mayor:—

Kingston, Feb. 25th, 1907.

Gentlemen of the City Council:

In August last I directed the attention of the Chairman of the Board of Works and the Committee on Light, Heat and Power, respectively, to the disgraceful condition of the Queen Street slip, and to the fact that we had been served with a writ on account of this. The gentlemen addressed, and their successors, have shown remarkable agility and ingenuity in attempting to dodge from under, and leave the weight on each other's shoulders, and so far that is all that has been done. This is a matter that calls imperatively for remedy, and should be allowed to drag no longer. I would suggest the appointment to-night of a special committee composed, say, of the Chairmen of the Board of Works and of the Committee on Light, Heat & Power and three others to give the question immediate attention.

(Signed J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor.

Communications as summarized by the Clerk were read and referred as follows:—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

J. B. Holland, asking to be relieved of his statute labor tax.

BOARD OF WORKS.

The American Contractor Publishing Co., re building of Breakwater.

WATER WORKS.

C. Killen, submitting a tender for an old engine at the Water Works Dock.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Elijah B. Purdy, asking to be appointed Market Clerk.

FYLED.

Telegram and letter from J. A. Culverwell, Managing Director of the Northumberland-Durham Power Co., asking privilege to address Council.

PETITIONS.

BOARD OF WORKS.

From S. Anglin & Co., and others, against an intersepting sewer from Ontario and Queen Streets to the lower end of Ontario Street below Cataraqui Bridge.

From J. H. Bell, for a cement walk on Concession Street.

WATER WORKS.

J. H. Bell, asking for City water supply for the tenants on Concession Street.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

J. H. Bell, for an arc light on Concession Street.

REPORTS.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 14 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows:—

Finance and Accounts.

Committee Room, Kingston, Feb. 22nd, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That a Map of the Dominion be purchased for the City Clerk's Office, price $1.00.

2. That the Kingston & Pembroke Mutual Aid and Benefit Association be relieved of paying the sum of $15.00, this amount being balance due for license on pool business, and that they be allowed to pay the license fee monthly at the rate of $90.00 per year.

3. That the following accounts having been passed by the Auditor be paid:—

BOARD OF WORKS.

F. Tracy, smithwork	$ 3 76
Peter Lowry, smithwork	7 58
Pay List ending February 20th	143 52

WATER WORKS.

Pay List ending February 18th	57 75
The Rathbun Co., lumber	34 58
The Rathbun Co., lumber	11 49
R. Uglow & Co., postage stamps	5 00
The British Whig	1 95

FIRE AND LIGHT.

G. T. R., freight on zincs	66
W. P. Peters, oats	17 00
Taylor & Hamilton, supplies	11 31
D. Hutchinson, horse feed and straw	17 19
S Anglin & Co., lumber	7 60
W. P. Peters, hay	11 00
J. A. McFarlane, oats	17 00
The Northern Electric & Manuf. Co., zincs	15 00

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Geo. R. Tomlinson, supplies	1 32
McRae Manuf. Co., tool grinder	4 00
K. & P. R. R., cartage	2 00
R. Crowford, wood	3 25
A. MacLean, salt	65
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., bushings	1 60
G. N. W. Tel. Co., 5 messages	1 35
John Kelly, supplies and repairs	80

Peter G. Wilmot, supplies	1 20
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil	134 58
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil	167 25
G. T. R. Freight, gas oil	58 67
G. T. R. Freight, gas oil	78 75
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	114 64
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., carbons	14 56
Pay List ending Feb. 15th	585 75
A. MacLean, mustard	40
Can. Westinghouse Co., wattmeters	217 15
Queen City Oil Co., cylinder oil	13 48
L. W. Murphy, horse feed	4 60
Peter G. Wilmot, straw	48
G. A. Wright, machine work	19 71
Wm. Allen, lime	42 79
C. W. Stone, repairs to harness	3 00
Wm. Cockburn, smithwork	11 32
Wm. Cockburn, smithwork	22 40
Wm. Cockburn, smithwork	13 00
G. T. R. freight, 2 bills	1 16
Robt. Simpson, hay	9 52
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps	4 00
Canadian Express Co., (3 bills)	1 85
Bernard Grant, oats	18 60
G. A. Bateman, entry gas oil	35
Canadian Express	75
Patrick J. Melville, hay	10 10
W. Cockburn, smithwork	62 11

CITY PROPERTY.

J. R. C. Dobbs, repairs to typewriter	3 00
C. Lewis, cleaning closet, hay market	1 00
J. S. Henderson, supplies for City Hall	5 50
Taylor & Hamilton, steel range	14 00

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

R. Uglow & Co., supplies City Clerk	4 90
R. Uglow & Co., supplies City Solicitor	50
R. Uglow & Co., supplies City Solicitor	2 70

R. Uglow & Co., Can. Almanac for City Eng...	48
The British Whig	73 25
Canadian Freeman..	4 00

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Dr. Bogart, prof. services Sergt. Nesbitt.....	28 00
C. Livingston, uniform Sergt. Nesbitt.....	22 00
Geo. Mills & Co., cap Sergt. Nesbitt.....	4 00

BOARD OF HEALTH.

F. J. Hoag, drugs.....	3 20
Thos. McAuley, supplies	1 60

CONTINGENCIES.

Municipal World, marriage register.....	4 50
Annie McIlroy, typewriting to Feb. 25th.....	8 00

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor and Chairman;
D. A. GIVENS,
R. E. KENT,
W. G. CRAIG,
J. S. R. McCANN.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Givens (2), that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 15 from the Board of Works, as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Feb. 21, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. On the communication of the Secretary of the Railroad Commissioners re the suggested removal of the River Street overhead G. T. R. Bridge, that in the opinion of this Council the bridge cannot be dispensed with and that the Council would sug-

gest that a draw bridge might be practicable as there is always a signalman at this bridge who could operate it.

2. That a Committee consisting of Ald. Gaskin, Elliott, and the City Engineer meet the Chairman and Manager of the Light, Heat and Power Department to consider the abating of the nuisance caused at Queen Street slip.

3. That the sum of $500 be placed to the credit of the Board of Works for the purpose of starting repairs to the Breakwater.

4. That the Finance Committee be asked to provide the sum of $16,000 in the budget as Board of Works Appropriation for general purposes and a special appropriation of $20,000 for the purpose of repairing the Streets in the City.

5. That the plan and report of the City Engineer for the extension of the O'Kill Street Sewer be adopted and that the Board of Works be authorized to advertise for tenders and if satisfactory to award the contract.

6. That in future use of the Water Works Dock be discontinued and that the Asphalt Plant and other materials be removed to the City's yard on Ontario Street as soon as possible in the spring.

7. That the machine for roughing the ice on the sidewalks be repaired and altered and that it be used where possible instead of sanding the walks.

Respectfully submitted.

Report No. 2.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That a deputation from the City Council wait on the Minister of Public Works of the Dominion Government for the purpose of presenting a petition setting forth the needs of the harbour and suggesting that the necessary appropriation be included in the estimates for the removal of the dangerous shoals in the harbour and the reconstruction of the Breakwater at the Western portion of the City, and that the Kingston Board of Trade be

asked to co-operate with the Council and send representatives with this deputation, and that His Worship the Mayor select the delegates from the Council to represent that body on this deputation.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, Chairman;
J. S. R. McCANN,
R. E. KENT,
C. J. GRAHAM,
ROBT. HANLEY,
ROBT. J. FREE.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Free (3), that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted, with clauses 1 and 4 withdrawn.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Henderson, that Clause 3 of the Board of Works report be amended to read as follows:— "That the Finance Committee be asked to provide the sum of $500 for the Board of Works for the purpose of salvage work in connection with the Breakwater.—Carried.

The original motion was adopted as amended.

Water Works.

Ald. Carson presented report No. 16 from the Committee on Water Works, as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Feb. 18th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the Board of Works be charged the nominal sum of $50.00 per year as a rental for that part of the Water Works property occupied by the said Board.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) JOHN CARSON, Chairman;
D. COUPER,
W. G. CRAIG,
L. L. HENDERSON,
W. F. NICKLE,

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Henderson (4), that the report of the Committee on Water Works be received and adopted.—Lost.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Ross presented report No. 17 from the Committee on Fire and Light, as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Feb. 22nd, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That W. E. Roberts be appointed permanent Callman, salary $75.00 per year, and on condition that he shall sleep in the station.

2. That the Chairman and Ald. Robertson be a Committee to purchase a team of horses for the Department, subject to inspection by Wm. Nichols, V.S.

3. That Firemen McKee, Burns and Cockade be allowed the increase of pay according to the schedule rate and to take effect from the termination of the year's service entitling them to same.

4. That a notice calling for tenders be inserted in the press for 15 uniforms, samples of material, lining and buttons attached.

5. That a notice calling for tenders be inserted in the press for one ton of bluestone.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) A. E. ROSS, Chairman;
W. F. NICKLE,
L. L. HENDERSON,
C. J. GRAHAM,
H. ANGROVE,
H. M. ROBERTSON,

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Robertson (5), that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 18 from the Committee on Light, Heat & Power, as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Feb. 19th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That Mr. Reid be paid his wages for the time that he was off duty on account of an accident which he received while in the performance of his duties and also the amount of the attending surgeon's account.

2. That the following tenders be accepted, being recommended by Mr. Campbell and being the lowest:—

Benj. F. Kelly, New York, one feed water heater.	$698.00
Geo. Wright, Kingston, flange couplings.....	64.00
J. H. Birkett, Kingston, for Pyke & Sons, 1 Beam for Engine Room.....	46.44
McKelvey & Birch, Kingston, Steam Traps.....	24.50
Geo. Wright, Kingston, repairs to Oil Pump....	22.00

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman;
JOHN GASKIN,
D. A. GIVENS,
D. COUPER,
H. DOUGLASS,
G. Y. CHOWN,

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Douglass (6), that the report of the Committee on Light, Heat & Power be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Angrove presented report No. 19 from the Committee on City Property and Markets, as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Feb. 20th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the tender of Geo. R. Tomlinson for wiring and putting up fixtures in the City Buildings at the cost of $120.00 be accepted.

2. That the Chairman and City Engineer purchase the fixtures for the above, cost not to exceed $80.00, samples to be presented to the Committee.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) H. ANGROVE, Chairman;
D. COUPER,
H. DOUGLASS,
ROBT. J. FREE,
C. J. GRAHAM,
A. E. ROSS,
R. F. ELLIOTT.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Couper (7), that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

Printing.

Ald. Elliott presented report No. 20 from the Committee on Printing, as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Feb. 14th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Printing beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Council authorize this Committee to call for tenders for supplies of printing, stationery, etc., for the year 1907.

2. That the Chairman be authorized to issue orders for supplies not covered by tender up to twenty dollars as required.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. F. ELLIOTT, Chairman;
W. F. NICKLE,
H. N. ROBERTSON,
J. CARSON,

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Nickle (8), that the report of the Committee on Printing be received and adopted.—Carried.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Robertson (9), that Mr. Culverwell, Managing Director of the Northumberland-Durham Power Co., be allowed to address the Council on the question of hydro-electric power.—Carried.

Upon the presentation of By-Law No. 10 His Worship the Mayor vacated the Chair, Ald. Ross presiding.

Moved by Mayor Mowat, seconded by Ald. Nickle (10), that Council do now adjourn.

The yeas and nays being called:—

Yeas—Mayor Mowat, Ald. Carson, Chown, Couper, Craig, Graham, Kent, Nickle, Robertson, Ross, Toye—11.

Nays—Ald. Angrove, Douglass, Elliott, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Hanley, Henderson, McCann—9.

The motion was then declared carried.

The Council adjourned at 11 p.m.

City Clerk.

Kingston, March 6th, 1907.

A special meeting of Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship Mayor Mowat, presiding.

Present: Ald. Carson, Chown, Couper, Craig, Douglas, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Kent, Millan, Nickle.

The Mayor announced that the special meeting was called for the consideration of By-Laws.

BY-LAW.

A BY-LAW RESPECTING EGRESS FROM PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Ald. Givens presented By-law No. 10, 1907.

The By-law was read a first time and, the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Free in the Chair; and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 10.

A BY-LAW RESPECTING EGRESS FROM PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Passed March 6th, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. All churches, theatres, halls and other buildings used for places of worship, public meetings, or places of amusement, in addition to all other provisions applicable to such buildings, shall have at least one frontage for its entire height of at least one entire side of the auditorium and lobbies, passages and stairways for exit on a public street, or on a court or passage way having a uniform width of at least 15 feet and open to the sky and leading directly to a public street.

2. All corridors, halls, aisles, passageways, alleys and approaches in such buildings or leading thereto shall be of ample width and if possible shall widen towards the exits and shall during the occupation of said buildings by any public assemblage be kept free from all obstructions, and during such occupation no temporary seats or persons shall be allowed to remain or stand in any corridor, hall, aisle, passageway, alley or approach in such building or leading thereto.

3. At least two-thirds of the aggregate width of the exits of every such building shall open directly from such building on a public street or on a court or passageway having a uniform width of at least 15 feet and open to the sky and leading directly to a public street.

4. The doors of all entrances and exits to and from such buildings shall open outwards.

5. There shall be at least two independent exits from each division, compartment or gallery in such buildings and shall have an aggregate capacity in width of at least 18 inches for each one hundred persons which the division, compartment or gallery from which it leads is capable of seating, subject to the provisions of this by-law, and no main exit shall be less than five feet in width.

6. All exits shall open either on or above but not below the level of the street, court or passageway to which they respectively lead, and if the threshold of such exit is above the level of such street, court or passageway, then suitable ramps each of not more than one in ten, or stairways, shall lead therefrom to such street, court or passageway.

7. Every gallery in such buildings shall have at least two independent stairways located as far apart as possible, and extending from the gallery to a public street, or to a court or passageway open to the sky and leading directly to a public street.

Provided that a gallery may discharge by a stairway upon an interior passageway or corridor, but never at right angles to the same, and in every such case the aggregate width of such passageway or corridor below the junction of such stairway, and passageway or corridor, in the direction of the exit to the street shall be equal to the sum of the widths of the said stairway and said passageway or corridor immediately above the said junction.

8. In all public buildings hereafter constructed all such stairs shall be of incombustibe materials except the treads, which may be of hardwood, and shall be of ample strength to sustain the load carried; the cut of the strings for such stairs shall not exceed 7½ inches rise nor be less than 12 inches on the tread; no winding steps shall be used less than seven inches wide at the narrowest end.

9. No stair shall be less than 5 feet wide in the clear; there shall be no flights of more than twenty nor less than three steps between landings, and no landing shall be less than four feet long.

10. All stairs and landings shall have a substantial handrail on each side.

11. In buildings hereafter constructed, re-seated or reconstructed, all passageways and aisles on the respective floors of the auditorium having seats on both sides of same, shall not be less than 3 feet wide where they begin, and shall be increased in width towards the exit in the ratio of 1½ inches to every 5 lineal feet. Aisles having seats on one side only shall be not less than 2 feet wide at their beginning and shall increase in width in the same ratio as aisles having seats on both sides.

12. All exits from such buildings shall be opened for the use of departing audiences and the doors of such exits shall have fastenings on the inside only.

13. A plan showing the exits and stairways of the building shall be printed on every programme and play bill issued in such building.

14. There shall also be posted in some conspicuous place in each gallery and floor of every such building, and also in the stage, a diagram showing the exits and stairways of such building.

15. Rooms in theatres for the use of the persons employed therein shall have at least two independent exits.

16. All exits from such buildings shall have the word "exit" in letters at least six inches long on the auditorium or stage side of such exits.

17. Every theatre shall be illuminated entirely by electric light or gas; the lights in the entrance halls, corridors and stairways, shall be indepnedent of the lights in the auditorium and stage, and shall be kept lighted during a performance, and until such time as the audience has left the building. There shall be a light of gas or electricity opposite each exit, and at the top and bottom of each stairway; and all such latter lights shall have glass globes colored red.

18. All lights in the halls, corridors, stairways, lobby or other part of every theatre used by the audience, except the auditorium,

must be controlled by a separate shut-off located in the lobby or entrance, and controlled only in that particular place.

19. There shall be over the stage of every theatre one or more ventilators constructed of incombustible material; the area of such ventilators shall equal one-thirtieth of the total area of such stage, and every such ventilator shall have a damper or valve so arranged and counterbalanced as to open automatically in case of fire.

20. During the time that any church, theatre, hall, or other building used for a place of worship, public meetings or place of amusement, is occupied by an assemblage of persons, the Chief Constable or any member of the police force of said City may enter any such church, theatre, hall or other building to see that the provisions of this by-law for preventing the obstruction of the halls, aisles, passageways, alleys or approaches in such building or leading thereto are not being violated, and to require the removal therefrom of any obstruction which may be, or may be placed in such halls, aisles, passageways, alleys or approaches thereto.

21. The owner, occupant, tenant or lessee of any such building shall upon demand by the City Commissioner of said City furnish to the latter the plans of such building or copies of the same for inspection.

22. Any person and any owner, occupant, lessee or tenant of any such building who shall be guilty of any breach of any of the provisions of this By-Law, shall upon conviction thereof forfeit and pay a fine not exceeding the sum of fifty dollars and not less than one dollar for each offence, exclusive of costs, and in default of payment of the fine and costs forthwith the said fine and costs may be collected by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender, and in case of there being no distress found out of which such fine can be levied, the offender may be imprisoned in the Common Gaol of the County of Frontenac with or without hard labor for any period not exceeding six months unless the fine and costs, including the costs of distress, are sooner paid.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]
(Signed) W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

BY-LAW NO. 11, 1907.

Ald. Angrove moved that the Council go into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of By-law No. 11, 1907, clause by clause which was carried on the following division:

Yeas:—Ald. Angrove, Douglas, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, McCann, Millan, Nickle, Ross.—11.

Nays:—Mayor Mowat, Ald. Carson, Couper, Kent.—4.

The Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law with Ald. Graham in the Chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 11, 1907.

A By-law to appoint a Clerk of the Markets, Harbour Master, and a Sanitary Inspector.

Passed, March 6th, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. William McCammon, of the City of Kingston, is hereby appointed Clerk of the Markets, Harbour Master, and a Sanitary Inspector in and for the City of Kingston.

2. The said William McCammon shall perform the duties of Clerk of the Markets and Harbour Master as set out in the several By-laws defining the duties of said offices respectively.

3. The said William McCammon shall also, when not employed as Clerk of the Markets and Harbour Master, perform the duties of Sanitary Inspector under the direction of the Local Board of Health and the Medical Health Officer, and shall also assist the Treasury Department in the collection of taxes and rates, and shall also perform such other duties as he may be called upon from time to time to do by the Council.

4. The remuneration of the said William McCammon shall be such as shall be fixed by this Council by resolution.

5. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]
(Signed) W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

BY-LAW NO. 12, 1907.

A BY-LAW TO SECURE THE SANITARY CONDITION OF BUILDINGS.

Ald. Nickle presented By-Law No. 12, 1907.

The By-law was read a first time and, the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in Committee of the Whole, Ald. Givens in the Chair; and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 12, 1907.

A BY-LAW TO SECURE THE SANITARY CONDITION OF BUILDINGS.

Passed, March 6th, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. In this By-law the following words shall be construed in the manner following unless a contrary intention appears:

(1) "HOUSE" shall mean any building connected with any public or other sewer or drain.

(2) "FIXTURE" shall mean and include a Wash-basin, Bath, Sink, Wash-Tub, Urinal, Water Closet or other appliance for the reception and disposal of waste matter by way of any public or other sewer or drain.

(3) "BRANCH DRAIN" shall mean a drain serving a house from its junction with the street sewer to its connection with the soil pipe and house drain.

(4) "HOUSE DRAIN" shall mean a drain serving a house from the cellar to its connection with the branch drain.

(5) "OWNER" shall mean the owner of the house and premises in and on which any work on and about any drainage, ventilation, plumbing or water system is done, and shall include a mortgagee in possession and a leaseholder for a term of years of any lands and premises.

(6) "TENANT AND OCCUPANT" shall mean any occupant of a house and premises not being an owner as herein defined.

(7) "DRAINAGE AND PLUMBING SYSTEM" shall include the water system of any house and the ventilation of the drainage and plumbing system of any house.

2. Before proceeding to construct, re-construct or alter any portion of the drainage, or plumbing system of any house, the owner or his agent shall file in the Office of the City Engineer, an application for a permit to do said work, which application shall be accompanied by a plan or description of the work proposed, showing the whole drainage system from its connection with the street sewer to its termination above the roof.

3. Every plan or description shall show the character of the work to be done and the type of all closets and other fixtures.

4. No part of such work shall be commenced until such plan or description shall have been approved by the Inspector of Plumbing, and a permit issued by him for proceeding with such work.

5. The plan or description of said work so filed shall be examined by the Inspector of Plumbing, and a permit issued or refused by him within two days of the filing of the application, and if issued such permit shall be valid for six months from the date of issue.

6. No permit shall be issued by the Inspector of Plumbing upon such application unless the plan or description filed therewith comply with the provisions of this By-law.

7. No master plumber, plumber or workman engaged by the owner of any house to construct, re-construct or alter any portion of the drainage or plumbing system of any house, shall do any work in connection with such construction, re-construction or alteration at or upon any such house, until such master plumber, plumber or workman has satisfied himself (by its production to him) that a permit has been issued by the Inspector of Plumbing to do such work.

MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP.

8. All materials shall be of the best quality and all work must be executed in a thorough and workmanlike manner.

9. No material shall be used within the house nor within three feet of outside the foundation walls of a house and con-

nected with the branch drain for soil vent or waste pipe, other than wrought iron pipes with screwed joints and recessed fittings, or cast iron pipes with securely leaded joints, every joint to have not less than one and one-half inches of lead and to be well caulked.

10. Cement or putty joints, tin or sheet iron pipes, whether galvanized or not, shall not be used inside the building, and no inverted joints of any kind shall be placed below any fixture.

11. No iron pipe shall weigh less than the following:—

2 inches diameter, 4 lbs. per lineal foot.
3 " " 6½ " "
4 " " 9 " "
6 " " 15 " "

12. No lead waste or vent pipes shall weigh less than the following:

1 inch in diameter, 6 lbs. per yard.
1¼ " " 7 " "
1½ " " 8 " "
2 " " 10½ " "
2½ " " 13½ " "
3 " " 16½ " "
4 " " 24 " "

13. All fittings shall correspond in weight and quality.

14. Every connection with lead and iron pipes shall be made with brass thimbles or ferrules having properly wiped or soldered joints, and the ferrules having been properly gasketed, leaded and caulked with said pipe. Ferrules for 4-inch pipes shall not weigh less than 2½ lbs., for 3-inch pipes not less than 1¾ lbs., and for 2-inch pipes not less than 1½ lbs., each ferrule not to be less than 4 inches in length.

BRANCH DRAINS, HOUSE DRAINS, &c.

15. All branch drains and house drains shall be constructed of the best quality of Salt Glazed Vitrified Earthernware drain pipe of at least six inches diameter for branch drains, and four inches for house drains, and shall be laid and jointed with Portland Cement mortar mixed in the proportion of one part Portland Cement to three parts of sand.

16. All branch drains and house drains shall be laid in as direct a line as possible, and with a uniform grade of not less than a quarter of an inch to the foot, unless by special permission in writing of the Inspector of Plumbing.

17. The inside of every drain, after it is laid, shall be left smooth and perfectly clean throughout its entire length.

18. Every house drain shall be of cast iron to extend 3 feet beyond the house wall, and shall be furnished with a trap of at least four inches diameter, which shall be of cast iron, provided with a hand hole, and said trap shall be placed immediately inside the house wall.

19. Every house drain shall be connected with the branch drain by means of a "Y" or bevelled junction.

20. The pipe used for surface or weeping drains shall be of agricultural drain tile and if laid outside the house walls shall shall be trapped before being connected with the branch drain, and if laid inside the house walls they shall lead to the house drain at a point inside the house drain trap.

21 No right-angled junctions shall be allowed in the construction of any drain.

22. Curved pipe shall be used in every deflection from a straight line of more than four inches in two feet.

SOIL PIPES, WASTE PIPES, &c.

23. Every house shall be drained by a continuous iron soil or waste pipe from the outer connection with the branch drain at least three feet outside the house wall to the opening above the roof.

24. The main soil pipe from the sewer connection to the top shall be fully four inches in internal diameter at every point, and any waste pipe connecting directly with the branch drain shall be not less than two inches in internal diameter at every point.

25. No trap or other obstruction to the free flow of air through the whole course of the branch drain and soil pipe shall be placed on the soil pipe or branch drain execpt as hereinafter provided.

26. If a main trap is placed on the lower part of soil pipe such soil pipe shall be provided with fresh air inlets and venti-

lating pipes, and such fresh air inlets shall be placed at least three feet above the surface of the ground and not near any door or window.

27. Such main trap shall be placed as to be accessible at all times and is to be provided with a hand hole for convenience in cleaning.

28. Every vertical soil pipe shall be extended at least three feet above the roof of the building and above any window within a distance of fifteen feet. The end of the pipe shall be left open or with wire basket end, without return bend, hood or curve.

29. No soil pipe or waste pipe shall have at any part a less fall than one-quarter inch to the foot. This fall shall be towards the outlet.

30. Each house shall have its separate soil pipe or drain, and such soil pipe or drain shall be so placed as to be always readily inspected without excavation or destruction to walls or floors, and the plumber shall be responsible for the proper connection of his work with the system of drains, and no two or more houses shall have a drain in common, until the drain from each separate house shall have passed outside the walls of the house which it serves.

31. The arrangement of soil and waste pipes shall be as direct as possible.

32. In no case shall pipes, fixtures and traps be placed in inaccessable positions in a house.

33. Where a soil or waste pipe passes through a cellar or basement it shall be properly supported by brackets along the side walls or by hooks or stirrups from the floor joists.

34. Where it is necessary to carry a soil or waste pipe beneath the floor of a basement or cellar it shall be placed in an open box or trench accessible at all times by the lifting of trap doors.

35. The soil or waste pipe shall in no case be cemented or concreted over.

36. The waste pipe vents from the several fixtures shall be connected with the main soil pipe at a point above the inlet from the highest fixture on it: provided that the waste pipes from any fixture may be carried up through the roof as is provided herein in the case of a main soil pipe: and provided fur-

ther that waste pipes and waste pipe vents from several fixtures may be branched together before passing upward through the roof or being connected with the main soil pipe.

37. The drain pipe from a refrigerator or other receptacle where provisions are stored shall not be directly connected with any waste pipe, soil pipe or sewer: it shall discharge into some open sink or basin supplied with water.

38. Every safe under a water closet, bath, urinal, wash basin, sink or other fixture must be drained by a special pipe not directly connected with any waste pipe, soil pipe or sewer, but discharging into some place in open sight.

39. The waste pipe from a fixture shall not be connected with the trap of any other fixture.

TRAPS AND VENTS.

40. Every water closet, urinal, basin, sink, wash basin, bath and every tub or set of tubs or other fixture shall be separately and effectively trapped as near the fixture as possible and never more than two feet therefrom.

41. Every trap shall be vented—this may be done either by continuing the waste pipe up through the roof or by means of a special vent pipe connected with the crown of the trap and carried up through the roof as a waste pipe, or by connecting a special vent pipe or a vertical extension of a waste pipe with a soil pipe or vertical extension of another waste pipe at a point above the inlet from the highest fixture on it.

42. Vents which serve several traps may be branched together, and every vent pipe shall have a continuous slope to avoid collecting water by condensation.

43. All offsets, whether from the main soil pipe or any vent pipe, shall be made at an angle of not more than forty-five degrees.

44. Water sealing traps of any pattern may be used when separate vent pipe connections from the top of the same are provided.

45. Separate vent pipe connections may be omitted when traps that cannot be unsealed and such as are approved of by the Inspector of Plumbing are used.

46. No vent pipe shall be used as a soil or waste pipe.

47. No brick, sheet metal or earthenware pipe or chimney flue shall be used as a sewer ventilator, nor to ventilate any trap, drain, soil, or waste pipe.

48. No closet or fixture which allows the escape into the house of air or gas which has been confined in any part of it or from the drain or soil pipe, or which allows the accumulation of filth in or about it, shall be fitted up or used.

WATER CLOSETS.

49. Pan closets are strictly prohibited.

50. Water closets shall not be erected in the cellar or basement of any house without special means of ventilating the room being provided and approved of by the Inspector of Plumbing.

51. All water closets shall be supplied with a sufficient quantity of water to keep them at all times clean and well flushed from a tank from which water is not drawn for any other purpose, or shall be supplied with a flushometer or other automatic device approved by the Inspector of Plumbing.

52. When the trap to a water closet is ventilated it shall be ventilated by a vent pipe not less than two inches in diameter.

53. The overflow pipe from the water closet cistern shall not be directly connected with the soil pipe or any fixture.

54. Every room in which a water closet is placed shall be ventilated by a shaft carried from the upper part of the room up through the roof, unless it has a window that can be opened to the outer air at all times, winter and summer. The size of the shaft shall be determined by the Inspector of Plumbing.

BATH TUBS, SINKS, WASH BASINS, &c.

55. No wooden wash tub, sink or basin shall be placed inside any house as a fixture. All fixtures shall be constructed of non-absorbent materials.

56. Exit pipes to all fixtures, except water closets, shall be furnished with suitable PERMANENTLY ATTACHED strainers.

57. The vent pipes to traps of all fixtures but water closets shall be not less than one and one-quarter inches in diameter, and when more than fifteen feet in length, they shall be not less than one and one-half inches in diameter.

58. Overflow pipes from fixtures shall in every case be connected on the inlet side of the trap.

59. Sinks in all hotels, restaurants, boarding houses, laundries and other places where the Inspector of Plumbing directs, shall be provided with suitable grease traps.

RAIN WATER LEADERS.

60. Rain water leaders shall not be used as soil, vent or waste pipe, nor shall waste or vent pipes be used as leaders.

61. When within the walls of the house all rain water leaders shall be of iron pipe with leaded and caulked joints or screw joints, or of copper with soldered joints.

62. All rain water leaders entering any drain shall be trapped, except when they enter inside the house drain trap.

WATER SUPPLY PIPES.

63. Every water supply pipe shall be laid with due regard to danger from freezing, and shall be properly laid and graded with a fall to a stop and waste cock placed in the cellar or other convenient point where it can be entirely drained off. Each consumer in a tenement building shall be supplied with a separate stop and waste cock on the service pipe inside the building.

64. For water works pressure no lead pipe shall weigh less than the following:

⅜	inch	internal	diameter,	4	lbs.	per	lineal yard.
½	"	"	"	6	"	"	"
⅝	"	"	"	7	"	"	"
¾	"	"	"	8	"	"	"
1	"	"	"	12	"	"	"

65. If iron pipe is used for water it shall be galvanized.

66. Every master plumber who shall himself or by his agent or workmen attach any fixture or fixtures to the pipes of the City Water Works, or make any extension to the water supply of any house, shall on the last day of the month in which

such attachment or extension is made report the nature and extent of the same in writing to the Inspector of Plumbing.

67. No person shall be allowed, without having first obtained a permit from the Water Works Department, to open the street stop cock connected with the service supplying any premises or buildings, unless when a plumber requires to do so in order to make necessary repairs or to test his work, and in every such case he shall leave the stop cock as he found the same; and any person who shall commit any damage or injury to any stop cock or service box in the service pipes of the Department shall be liable for the amount of such damage.

CARPENTER WORK.

68. No woodwork shall be placed at the front or sides of a water closet bowl or bath so as to enclose the same without permission of the Inspector of Plumbing. The seat of the water closet shall be hinged in such a manner that when thrown back the bowl will be exposed on all sides.

69. Where either vertical or horizontal pipes are enclosed the casing shall be fastened with screws or jointed with hinges so that all parts shall be accessible at all times.

70. Traps, bends, elbows and connections shall not be placed beneath floors, unless trap doors (not screwed down) be so placed that all such traps, bends, elbows and connections can be readily examined at any time.

INSPECTION.

71. All work of constructing, re-constructing or altering any portion of the drainage or plumbing system of any house (except necessary repairs), shall be left uncovered and convenient for examination until inspected, tested and approved by the Inspector of Plumbing.

72. The Inspector of Plumbing shall be notified when any such work is ready for inspection by notice filed in the office of the City Engineer, and at the same time the owner or agent of the owner shall deposit the sum of five dollars with the City Treasurer.

73. The inspection of said work shall be made by the Inspector of Plumbing within two working days after receipt of the

notice, and all notices filed after twelve o'clock of any day shall be deemed to be filed on the day following.

74. The Inspector of Plumbing may apply the air, oil of peppermint cut with alcohol, water, or smoke test to such work, and the owner or plumber having the work in charge shall furnish all necessary tools, materials and labor for such tests, except that the Inspector of Plumbing shall furnish where required, the smoke machine, air pumps and pressure gauge.

75. The Inspector of Plumbing shall, on the completion of every inspection, report, in writing, the result of the same, which report shall be filed in the office of the City Engineer, and a copy of the report shall be delivered by the Inspector of Plumbing to the owner or agent of the owner and to the master plumber who has such work in charge.

76. If the report made on such inspection declares such work to be nat in conformity with the provisions of this By-law, or any of them, the owner or agent of the owner and the master plumber, or one of them, shall forthwith make such work conformable to the provisions of this By-law.

77. The Inspector of Plumbing shall from time to time thereafter inspect such work until it is made to conform to the provisions of this By-law, and thereupon he shall approve said work and issue a certificate of such fact to the owner or his agent, and to the master plumber having the work in charge, and the fee of the Inspector of Plumbing, as fixed by the City Engineer, shall be paid out of the sum so deposited with the City Treasurer, and the balance, if any, shall be repaid to the owner or agent of the owner, but there shall be no charge for the initial inspection.

78. The six following sections shall apply only to houses in which the drainage and plumbing system has been completed before this By-law came in force.

79. A tenant or occupant of any house may, after requesting the owner or agent of the owner of such house to procure to be made an inspection of the drainage and plumbing system of such house, and upon the refusal or neglect of such owner or agent for two days to procure an inspection of such system to be made under this By-law, apply to the Inspector of

Plumbing for an inspection of the same, and upon the sum of five dollars being first deposited by such tenant or occupant with the City Treasurer, the Inspector of Plumbing shall inspect such system and shall report the result of such inspection as above provided, and shall deliver a copy of such report to the owner or agent of the owner and to the tenant or occupant.

80. The tenant or occupant of any house so applying shall furnish all tools, materials and labor required by the Inspector of Plumbing in making such inspection, but the Inspector shall furnish when required the smoke machine, air pumps and pressure gauge.

81. If the draining and plumbing system of such house is on such inspection reported by the Inspector of Plumbing to be in conformity with the provisions of this By-law, or to be gas and water tight and safe to persons residing or being in such house, the tenant or occupant shall pay the inspection fee as fixed by the City Engineer, which shall be deducted out of the deposit in the hands of the City Treasurer (the balance being repaid to the said tenant or occupant, and shall pay the cost of all labor, material and tools required in and about such inspection.

82. If the drainage and plumbing system of such house or any part of same is reported on such inspection to be not in conformity with the requirements of this by-law, or to be not gas and water tight, and safe to persons residing or being in such house, the owner or agent of the owner shall pay the inspection fee as fixed by the City Engineer (the sum previously deposited by the tenant or occupant being refunded to him by the City Treasurer on receiving a copy of the report of the Inspector of Plumbing), and the owner or agent of the owner shall without delay cause the said system and every part of the same to be made to conform to the provisions of this by-law or to be made gas and water tight, and safe to persons residing or living in such house; and the cost of all labor, materials and tools required in and about such inspection or such part of said cost as shall be determined by the City Engineer and Inspector of Plumbing, shall be paid by the owner or agent of the owner to the tenant or occupant.

83. The Inspector of Plumbing shall from time to time thereafter inspect the said system until it is made to conform to the provisions of this by-law, or is gas and water tight, and safe to persons residing or being in such house and thereupon he shall approve said system and report the same and issue a certificate of such fact to the tenant or occupant of such house.

84. Upon being required by the tenant or occupant of any house to make an inspection of the drainage and plumbing system of such house, the Inspector of Plumbing shall before proceeding to make the inspection notify the owner or agent of the owner in writing of such requisition, either by personal service or by letter addressed to the last known place of residence of such owner or agent of such owner, otherwise such owner and the agent of such owner shall not be chargeable with any part of the cost of such inspection, and if such owner or agent is a non-resident the Inspector shall allow reasonable time to elapse after giving such notice before proceeding with the inspection of said system.

85. The tenant or occupant of any house, the drainage and plumbing system of which has been installed since the passing of this by-law, may require such system to be inspected by the Inspector of Plumbing, and thereupon the proceedings shall be as set out in sections 79 to 84 both inclusive of this by-law, except that the Inspector shall not approve said system or issue his certificate as herein provided unless the said system in every part conforms to the requirements of this by-law.

86. The Inspector of Plumbing upon the requisition of the owner or agent of the owner of any house, and upon the sum of five dollars being deposited with the City Treasurer, shall make an inspection of the drainage and plumbing system of such house as provided in this by-law.

FEES.

87. The City Engineer shall fix a scale of fees to be paid for inspections made under this by-law and with the approval of this Council.

FORMS.

88. The Inspector of Plumbing shall draft and procure to be printed any blank forms that may be required in the carrying out of the provisions of this by-law.

89. This Council may appoint an Inspector of Plumbing to administer and enforce the provisions of this by-law, and to discharge such other duties as the Council shall assign him. He shall be paid such remuneration as this Council shall fix by resolution or by-law.

90. Any person guilty of a breach of any of the provisions of this By-law shall, upon conviction thereof, forfeit and pay a fine not exceeding the sum of fifty dollars and not less than one dollar for each offence, exclusive of costs, and in default of the payment of the fine and costs forthwith, the said fine and costs may be collected by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender, and in case of there being no distress found out of which such fine can be levied, the offender may be imprisoned in the Common Gaol of the County of Frontenac, with or without hard labor, for any period not exceeding six months, unless the fine and costs, including the costs of distress, are sooner paid.

91. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]
(Signed) W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

The meeting adjourned at 1 a.m.

Kingston, March 11th, 1907.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present: Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Craig, Douglas, Elliott, Free Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Henderson, Kent, McCann, Millan, Nickle, Robertson and Toye.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Carson, (1)

that the minutes of the last meeting be amended as follows and be adopted as amended.

Minutes page 59 after Culverwell motion be amended to read: "Ald. Angrove presented By-law No. 10 for the appointment of a Market Clerk. The By-law was read a first time.

Ald. Angrove moved the suspension of the 31st rule and that the Council go into the Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause. His Worship, the Mayor vacated the Chair, &c."

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications as summarized by the Clerk were read and referred as follows:—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

R. Meek, Secretary Directors of the House of Industry, asking Council to amend Section 2, of By-law respecting the House of Industry.

Mrs. McCallum, re rebate of taxes Y.W.C.A.

Board of Trade, supporting the proposition of Mr. Gray, Swansea, England, re zinc smelter.

BOARD OF WORKS.

City Engineer, re Streets extending to the water's edge, etc.

W. J. Nesbitt, asking for a drain on Aberdeen Avenue.

L. W. Westrum, drawing Council's attention to Westrum's Asphalt Macadam.

F. Conway, for K. & P. Railway, asking permission to remove a small office building.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Angrove, (2) that the communication of F. Conway, be referred to the Board of Works with power to act.—Carried.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Nora E. Darby, applying for the position of typewriter and stenographer in the Light, Heat and Power Department.

May Hubbard, applying for the position of stenographer or bookkeeper in the Light, Heat & Power Department.

Dr. Duff, submitting an account and asking Council to make good.

Ed. Lefebue, asking for an increase of salary.

James Bradden and John McCutcheon asking for an increase of salary.

F. Murray, asking for an increase of salary.

John Sullivan and William Healey, asking for an increase of salary.

John L. Orr, Gas Maker, asking for an increase of salary.

COURT OF REVISION.

E. Ryan, M.D., asking to be relieved of business tax.

Eliza Munroe, asking to be relieved of payment of taxes.

John Gray, re proposition of a plant in Kingston for the smelting and refining of zinc.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Henderson (3) that Mr. Gray be heard in connection with the proposition which he has submitted in his communication of this date.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Robertson, (4) that this Council approves generally of the scheme submitted by Mr. Gray, and that the proposition be referred to the Committee on Industries and the City Solicitor, expressing the hope that terms agreeable to Mr. Gray, and acceptable to the City Council may be reached, and this Council pledges itself to do all it possibly can to further the scheme.

PETITION.

A. McNaughton and others for street watering Union Street.—Referred to the Board of Works.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. McCann presented report No. 21 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Mar. 7th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the following accounts having been passed by the Auditor be paid:—

BOARD OF WORKS.

Pay List ending March 7th	$189 56
Francis Tracy, repairs	6 21
John Corbett, supplies	5 81

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Geo. Sears, supplies	3 21
Kingston Coal Co.	50 40
W. P. Peters, Hay No. 1 Station	9 75
W. P. Peters, Hay No. 2 Station	10 50
Bell Tel. Co., gravity zincs	3 60
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	18 95

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Pay List ending February 28th	542 92
The McCort Oil Co., Gas Oil	157 64
G. T. R. Freight, gas oil	129 89
R. Uglow & Co., supplies	60
F. W. Spangenberg, repairing clock	75
Canadian Westinghouse Co., repairs to watt meter	5 00
Dominion Government Meter Inspection	53 75
Ontario Lantern & Lamp Co., Lamps	47 76
Can. General Elec. Co., meters	10 53
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., meter	1 35
G. T. R. Freight, gas oil	56 39
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil	139 13
Moore & Co., repairs	1 50
P. G. Wilmot, bran	2 30
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., meters	51 30
Canadian Express Co.	1 30

CITY PROPERTY.

John Corbett, supplies	37 00

CONTINGENCIES.

J. P. Hanley, pauper passes	5 55
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps, Treasurer	5 00
C. S. Kirkpatrick, Prem. City Officials' Bonds	67 20
Thos. Asselstine, Local Reg. H.C. J.	10 80
The Scarborough Co., Dominion Map	1 00
Dr. McCarthy, examination lunatic—Lucinda E. Peters	5 00
Annie McIlroy, typewriting to March 11th	8 00
D. M. McIntyre, expenses to Toronto attending Municipal Association	19 00

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor and Chairman;
D. A. GIVENS,
J. S. R. McCANN,
R. E. KENT,
R. F. ELLIOTT,
W. G. CRAIG.

Moved by Ald. McCann, seconded by Ald. Kent, (5) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 22 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Mar. 7th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the contract for the supply of sand be awarded to R. H. Fair.
2. That the contract for the supply of grates be awarded to William Cockburn, his tender being the lowest.
3. That the contract for the supply of lumber be awarded to the Frontenac Lumber & Coal Co., their tender being the lowest.
4. That the contract for the supply of hardware be awarded to John Corbett, his tender being the lowest.
5. That the contract for the supply of cement be awarded to Lemmon & Son.
6. That the contract for the supply of rubble stone be awarded to Silas Grimshaw and E. McFadden.

Fespectfully submitted.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN,
J. S. R. McCANN,
C. J. GRAHAM,
R. E. KENT.

REPORT NO. 2.

1. That owing to the fact that the City have only the right to extend the O'Kill Street Sewer by laying the extension in the rock, and that the concrete pier as proposed would be an obstruction to navigation, the pipe be laid as shown on the plan prepared by the City Engineer, protected by putting it under the rock level, a grit chamber built to catch all deposits, and that the tender of Alexander Tait, $2,250 for doing the work be accepted, also that the Finance Committee be requested to provide the sum of $850 to cover the balance of the contract over the amount provided for by By-law.

2. That the tender of the Canadian Sewer Pipe Co., for supplying sewer pipes, etc., be accepted it being the lowest.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN,
J. S. R. McCANN,
C. J. GRAHAM,
R. E. KENT.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Graham, (6) that the reports of the Board of Works be received and adopted and that clause 5 of report No. 1 of the Board of Works as passed February 28th ult., be rescinded, and report No. 2 of the said Board as now presented be adopted instead thereof.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Robertson presented report No. 23, from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows.

Committee Room, Kingston, Mar. 8th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the Fire horse known as "Pete" be sold by public auction on March 23rd, 1907, and that an advertisement to this effect be inserted in the Press, and that the Chairman and Ald. Robertson be authorized to purchase a horse subject to inspection by William Nichols, V.S.

2. That tender No. 1, that of Thos. Lambert, be accepted for 15 suits of clothes, price $16.50.

3. That tender No. 1, that of Skinner & Co., be accepted, price $7.95 per cwt. for bluestone.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) H. N. ROBERTSON,
W. F. NICKLE,
D. J. MILLAN,
L. L. HENDERSON,
H. ANGROVE,
C. J. GRAHAM.

Moved by Ald. Robertson, seconded by Ald. Nickle, (7) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 24 from the Committee on Light, Heat & Power, as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Mar. 5th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the tender of the Cutler Hammer Manuf. Co., for Starter at $70.00, be accepted, being the lowest.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman;
D. A. GIVENS,
JOHN GASKIN,
H. DOUGLAS,
G. Y. CHOWN.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Givens, (8) that the report of the Committee on Light, Heat & Power be received and adopted.—Carried.

Industries.

Ald. Craig presented report No. 25 from the Committee on Industries as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, 28th Feb., 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Industries beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. On the communication of the Rideau Lakes Navigation Co., Limited, dated 28th January, 1907, that the sum of $50.00 be granted, provided the "write up" of the city in their pamphlet is satisfactory to the Committee.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) W. G. CRAIG, Chairman;
G. Y. CHOWN,
H. N. ROBERTSON.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Chown, (9) that the report of the Committee on Industries be received and adopted.—Carried.

Printing.

Ald. Elliott presented report No. 26 from the Committee on Printing as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, March 11th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Printing beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the tenders be awarded to the different parties as follows, these being the lowest, each Department being considered as a unit:—

Accepted Tenders.

The British Whig.

MINUTES OF COUNCIL.

100	Copies Minutes of Council to be set in 10 point type, Communications, Reports, By-laws, etc., to be set in 8 point type, 1-16 mo., D.D., 80 lb., No. 1 Book paper, stitched,—50 untrimmed and 50 trimmed, per page	$ 1 20
30	Copies of Title Page and Index, per page.....	1 50
	Printing Covers and Binding 30 Copies of Minutes as per sample	3 75
25	Reports of Committees in sheet form, matter to be revised after Council meeting, and printed in the Minutes of Council	3 75
100	Copies of documents printed in style of Minutes per page	1 50

VOTER'S LISTS.

250	Copies of Voter's Lists, 100 bound in Wards without covers, 150 complete, to be completed between October 7th and November 1st. Paper, 60 lb D.D., No. 1 Book, Cover 20 x 25, 50 lb., Antique, per page	1 50

ELECTION FORMS.

150	Nomination Papers, Aldermen	1 00
50	Nomination Papers, Trustee	90
30	Reports of R. O., Aldermen, ½ cap, endorsed..	1 75
30	Reports of R.O., Trustees, ½ cap., endorsed....	90
10	Poll Books (5 sheets cap ruled and printed, and 1 sheet printed forms), tag manilla covers printed. Each book to be completed with number of Polling Sub-division and name of ward, see sample....	16 00
25	Poll Books, as above	17 50
6250	Ballots, Mayor, 25 books of 250 each, complete with number of sub-division and name of ward, bound in tag manilla, ballots to be perforated, stubs numbered and books labelled	12 50

6250	Ballots, Aldermen,—	
1500,	Ballots, 6 books, Syd., Ont., St. L., 250 each as above	4 00
2000	Ballots, 3 books, Cat., Vic., 250 each as above	6 00
1250	Ballots, 5 books, Front., 250 each, as above	4 00
1500	Ballots, 5 books, Rid., 250 each, as above	4 00
10	Envelopes, (6-⅜ x 9⅛, heavy manilla), each, envelopes A. B. C. D. E. F. G.	2 00
25	Each Envelopes, A. B. C. D. E. F. G.	3 50
100	Return of Votes, ½ cap, endorsed	2 00
30	Notes of Objections, ½cap,	1 75
30	Votes marked D. R. O., ½ cap	1 75
30	Ballot Paper Accounts, ¼ cap	1 00
50	Appointment of Scrutineers, ¼ cap, tinted	1 00
50	Declarations of Scrutineers, ¼ cap, tinted	1 00
25	Circulars to D.R.O., ⅛ post	1 00
100	Declarations of Inability to Read, ½ cap	1 50
70	Posters, Nomination, ½ sheet	2 25
10	Posters, Nomination, ¼ sheet	50
70	Posters, Nomination, ¼ sheet, 7 forms	2 00
100	Posters, Guidance to Voters, ½ sheet	2 50
250	Posters, Guidance to Voters, ½ sheet	3 75
25	Posters Corrupt Practices, ¼ sheet	1 50
60	Posters Corrupt Practices, ¼ sheet	1 75

FOR CITY CLERK.

200	Voting Slips, ½ post	1 50
1000	Resolution Forms, ⅛ post, 40 pads, tag backs	2 25
100	Notices re Voters' List, ¼ cap	1 00
200	Notices re Voters' List, ¼ cap	1 25
25	Notices, Inaugural Meeting, ¼ post, linen	1 00
200	Private Post Cards, 3½ x 5½, tag manilla	1 25
500	Private Post Cards, 3½ x 5½, tag manilla	2 25
2	Police Court Receipt books, as per sample	1 50

FOR LIGHT DEPARTMENT.

(All forms linen).

1800	Gas Bills 4¾ x 11½, perforated	5 75
900	Electric Bills, 4¾ x 11½, perforated	3 50

1000 Requisitions, in triplicate (1000 tinted, 2000 white) 8 x 9¼, in pads of 25, straw board backs, perforated and punched for fyling 8 00
1000 Requisitions in duplicate, (1000 each white and tinted), similar to above in pads of 50..... 6 00
20,000 Time Slips, 4¼ x 5½, padded 11 00
5000 Requisitions, 5 x 6½, ruled and numbered 4 00
300 Electric Meter Cards 2 25
200 Daily Report Sheets (Gas) 3 25

FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT.

500 Ruled Letter Heads, linen, padded, as sample.. 2 25
500 Envelopes, linen, printed 1 25

The Daily News.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

3000 Copies, 40 lb., D.D., No. 3 print, per page..... 1 58
50 Copies, 60 lb., D.D., No. 1 Book Paper 3 50
(Cover 20 x 25, 50 lb. Antique).

FOR CITY ENGINEER.

500 Bill Heads, ⅛ post 1 50
2000 Orders in books of fifty, perforated, numbered in duplicate and bound in tag manilla, as per sample 10 00
500 Bonds 4 50
200 Petition for Local Improvement as per sample.. 3 50
1000 Sheets Board of Works Allocation and time book, as per sample 11 00
1000 Notices Court of Revision Local Improvements, ¼ cap 2 50

FOR TREASURER.

1000 Memo Note Heads, ⅛ post, Japan Linen Bond, 20 lb..... 3 00
300 Final Notices re Dog Tax, ⅛ post 1 25
500 Final Notices Tax Arrears, ⅛ post 1 50
8500 Tax Demands, linen, ¼ post, perforated, six changes, two colors, as per sample 38 00
800 Notices, Tax Arrears, ¼ post, perforated, 16 lb. linen (⅛ post printed as per sample)..... 4 00

800	Statute Labor Demands, ⅛ post, perforated, 16 lb., linen, as per sample	3 75
3000	Envelopes, No. 7 printed, as per sample	4 50
50	Budgets and 50 Finally revised, per page	1 50

FOR CITY ASSESSOR.

7150	Assessment Notices, 4¾ x 13¾, six changes in name of Ward, as per sample	13 00
700	Statute Labor Assessment Notices, 4¾ x 13¾, as per sample	3 00
200	Returns of persons employed	1 75
200	Notices to Employers of Labour	1 25
200	Notices to Incorporated Companies	1 25
200	Returns to Shareholders, Incorporated Companies	2 75

FOR HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

1000	Sanitary Notices, ⅛ post, as per sample	2 00
500	Special Sanitary Notices, ⅛ post, as per sample.	1 25
500	Applications for Permit, 3½ x 5⅜, in pads of 100	1 00
2	Order Books, Scavenger, 500 each, 4 on page, perforated, numbered, and ¼ bound, as per sample in Police Office	6 00
200	Street Posters, full sheet	4 75
1	Book, 1000 permits, to empty privies, as per sample in the Sanitary Inspector's Office	6 00
2000	Notices to Head Teachers, as per sample	5 00

FOR WATER WORKS.

15,900	Water Bills, ⅛ post, linen, perforated, 2 colors, rules of Department to be printed on back	64 00
1000	Receipt Forms, ⅛ post, linen, perforated, colored ink	4 50
500	Tariff Cards, 6 x 6¾, as per sample	5 50
500	Bill Heads, small size, as per sample	2 75
500	Bill Heads, large size, as per sample	3 00
250	Warrants	2 00
1200	Pressure Records, as per sample	2 50

250 Arrears Notices (to occupant re rent) as per sample 1 50
250 Arrears Notices (to property owners) as per sample 1 50
1000 Notices Arrears, ⅛ post, linen (turning off, as per sample) 3 50

FOR POLICE DEPARTMENT.

300 Police Court Reports, ½ cap, endorsed,, as per sample 2 60
250 Electric Light Reports, ½ cap, endorsed, as per sample 1 75
250 Carter's License, ¼ cap, linen, as per sample... 1 75
100 Cabmen's License, as per sample 1 25

W. Jackson.

EMBOSSED STATIONERY.

100 Sheets, ¼ post, linen, printed, (Auditor) as per sample 1 25
500 Sheets, ⅛ post, linen, printed 1 60
1000 Sheets, ⅛ post, linen, printed 3 00
250 Sheets, ¼ post, linen, printed 1 50
500 Sheets, ¼ post, linen printed 1 50
2000 Sheets, ¼ post, linen, printed, (Med. Health Officer) as per sample 7 50
2000 Envelopes, No. 7, linen, printed, as per sample... 7 50
1000 No. 7 Envelopes, linen, printed, as per sample.. 4 50
200 No. 7 Envelopes, linen, printed 1 25
500 No. 7 Envelopes, linen, printed 2 25
200 No. 7 Envelopes, linen, printed..... 1 25
500 No. 7 Envelopes, linen, printed 2 25
100 No. 7 Envelopes, linen, printed 1 25
500 Envelopes, large, as per sample 3 00
1000 No. 10 Envelopes, linen, printed 5 25

ACCEPTED TENDERS FOR STATIONERY.

T. McAuley.

PAPER.

1 Ream Wellington Linen Ledger, cap, per ream.... 2 00
5 Pads (100) each, legal cap, Crane's Linen, 16 lb., as per sample, each 60

5 Quires Single Ruled Account Paper, per quire....	10
½ Ream Double Ruled Acct. Paper, C.W.C., 16 lb, cap..	12
4 Boxes Typewriter, Edinburg Bond, No. 11, per box.	2 00
5 Quires Blotting (100 pounds), per quire.....	50
5 Boxes Japanese Carbon Paper, per box of 100 sheets	2 00
3 Reams Provincial Bond, foolscap, as per sample....	2 00
1 Box Best Carbon Paper, purple	2 00
1 Box Best Typewriter Carbon Paper, purple	2 00
6 Pads Foolscap Paper, ruled with margin	60
1000 Sheets Typewriting Paper thin for manifolding..	1 50
2 Boxes Typewriting Paper, thin for manifolding....	75

BLUE PRINT, HUGHES, OWENS CO.

1 Roll, 10 yds., 42 inch, "Iris" No. 110 each	90
1 Roll, 50 yds., Profile paper, Plate A., No. 260....	9 00
2 Rolls, 10 yds., each, 36 inch, No. 110, each	1 75

INK.

1 2-Pint Carter's Blue Black Writing.....	40
2 Quarts Paul's Blue Black Writing, per quart.....	60
1 Quart Steven's Blue Black Writing, per quart.....	60
3 Quarts Stafford's Blue Black Writing, per quart	60
3 Quarts Carter's Blue Black Writing, per quart	60
1 Pint Carter's Blue Black Writing, per pint	35
3 Pints Carter's Carmine Writing, per pint.....	60
1 Pint Fountain Pen Ink	60
3 ¾ oz. bottles Higgin's India Drawing Ink.....	25
1 ¾ oz. bottle, Higgin's yellow drawing ink.....	30
1 ¾ oz. bottle Higgin's Cream drawing ink.....	30

WATER COLORS.

1 ½ Pan Windsor & Newton's Water Colors Prussian Blue	20
1 1 Pan Windsor & Newton's Water Colors Scarlet Lake	20
1 1 Pan Windsor & Newton's Water Colors Vermillion	40
1 1 Pan Windsor & Newton's Water Colors Crome Yellow	20

1 ½ Pan Windsor & Newton's Water Colors Emerald Green	20
1 ½ Pan Windsor & Newton's Water Colors Burnt Unber	20
1 1 Pan Windsor & Newton's Water Colors Burnt Sienna	20
1 1 Pan Windsor & Newton's Water Colors Chinese White	20
1 ½ Pan Windsor & Newton's Water Colors Gamboge	20
1 ½ Pan Windsor & Newton's Water Colors Ultramarine	20

PENS AND PENHOLDERS.

1 High grade spring hinge ruling pen, No. 314, Art Metropolitan List	1 75
1 Waterman's Fountain Pen	2 50
1 Gross Wm. Mitchell's No. 0547	60
6 Gross Easterbrook's No. 14, per gross	60
1 Box Chancellor, No. 230, Easterbrook's, per box	75
3 Gross Gilliott's No. 292, per gross	35
1 Gross Gillott's No. 303	1 00
1 Gross Heath's Telephone, No. 6278	1 00
3 Boxes Myer's No. 3250 Easy Writer	40
5 Boxes Pens, Bank of England or Waverly	20
1 Improved Curve Pen No. 314 Art Metropolitan List	1 75
1 Gross J	60
4 Doz. Penholders, A.P.Co., Sterling, No. 297, per box	75
1 Gross Waverly	60

PENCILS.

1 Indelible Lead Pencil	05
10 Dozen Hardtmuth Koh-i-noor, H.B., per dozen	90
2 Dozen Faber's red and blue, Hexagon, No. 864, per doz.	50
2 Dozen H. Hardtmuth	90
1 Dozen 2 H., Hardtmuth	90

RUBBER BANDS.

1 Dozen A.B. Hard Rubber Bands (Eberhard)	30

3 Gross E. Faber's No. 12, per gross	25
½ Gross, No. 32 Eberhard	60
4 Gross E Faber's No. 94-0000-¾ inch, per gross	1 25
1 Gross E. Faber's Assorted, ¼ inch	2 50
2 Boxes No. 12 Rubber Bands, ¼ inch	1 20
2 Gross Rubber Bands, No. 32	75
3 Gross Rubber Bands, No. 32 inch, ⅛ inch	75

PAPER FASTNERS.

10 Boxes, S. 1 Universal, per box	06
4 Boxes, S. 3 Universal, per box	07
2 Gross Crocker's No. 14, per box	20
1 Box No. 1 B.O.K., Washburn Patent	40
1,200 Weiss Clips, per 100	10

RUBBER.

1 Box Hardtmuth, pink pliable	40
1 Sponge, for finger bowl	10
2 Cakes Sponge, 2½ x 1¾ x ⅝, per cake	15

MUCILAGE.

2 Quarts Higgin's Tauring, per quart	75

ENVELOPES.

3,000 Open at ends, as per sample (pay) per 1000	75
500 Pay Envelopes, No. 4, open at ends	40

NOTE BOOKS.

3 Level, 370a Hughes, Ownes Co., each	50
6 Transit, 365 A, Hughes, Ownes Co., each	50
5 Pass Books, Cloth Cover, cap, 8 vo., 30 leaves, each	25
12 Fortnightly Time Books, beginning with Thursday board covers, each	40
1 Index Book, for hose charge	10
1 Index Book, as per sample in Sanitary Inspector's Office	75

SUNDRIES.

6 Pyramid Pins, each	08
2 Knife Erasers, in sheaths, each Roger's 68 American	40
1 Pencil Pointer	05

1 Doz. Typewriter Eraser, No. 1065, eagle	10
3 Johann Faber's Typewriter Eraser	1 00
1 Gravity Styto Pen	40
1 Box Crowell Adhesive Tape 1 inch wide	40
1 Ink Bottle	25
6 Scribbling Pads, 3 x 6 each	05
6 Scribbling Pads, 6 x 9, each	10
12 Reporter's Note Books, each	05
2 Jars Carter's Water Well, Photo library paste, each	20
1 Canadian Almanac, 1908, cloth covers, each	50
2 Quart bottles Library Paste best Carter's or Stamfords'	75
1 Bottle paste for pad, (Green)	25

ACCEPTED TENDERS FOR BLANK BOOKS.

T. McAuley.

BLANK BOOKS.

7 Quires Assessment Rolls, cloth covers, Royal, printed 7 forms, per quire, (as per sample in City Clerk's Office)	2 00
10 Covers, Boards, labelled, each (as per sample in City Assessor's Office)	1 00
1 Light Register, 6 quires medium, ½ bound, 2 labels, (see sample)	12 50
1 Collection Book, Light Dept., 5 quires, Demy ½ bound, 2 labels	8 00
1 Water Register, 5 quires, medium, (see sample) ½ bound, 2 labels	12 00
1 Collection Book, 5 quires, Demy, printed, paged and ½ bound, 2 labels, as per sample	8 00
2 Inspection Books, 8 x 10½, paged, ¼ bound, 136 pages	1 50
1 Ledger	4 00
1 Journal	4 00
1 Sewer Rent Roll, printed, 2 quires medium, ¾ bound	6 00
1 Local Improvement Roll, 1 quire, medium, ½ bound, labelled	3 00

2 Collector's Cash Books, 300 pages, each, printed, paged, ½ bound, and 2 labels, Byron and Weston Paper, per sample in office 3 00
1 Minute Book, 4 quires, cap, faint lined, and marginal ruling, paged, half bound, and labelled, each.... 2 00
3 Blank Books, Births, Marriages, Deaths, as per sample, one of each 4 00

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. F. ELLIOTT, Chairman;
J. CARSON,
W. F. NICKLE,
H. N. ROBERTSON,
D. J. MILLAN.

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Millan (10) that the report of the Committee on Printing be received and adopted. —Carried.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Givens (11) that the salary of the Market Clerk be $500 per year.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Chown (12) that a notice be published in the City papers notifying the public of the passing of a By-law respecting the sanitary condition of buildings, and that a copy may be seen at the City Engineer's office.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Craig, (13) that a copy of a By-law re public buildings be sent to the owner or trustee of each public building.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Elliott (14) that the City Engineer be instructed to examine all buildings included in the By-law respecting Egress from Buildings, passed at the last meeting of the City Council and to report fully to this Council within four weeks, which if any of the said buildings are defective under the conditions of said By-law the particulars in which they are defective, and the changes necessary to make them conform to the provisions of the said By-law, and

that the City Engineer be also instructed to notify fully the owners or trustees of said buildings of the result of his examination. That said owners or trustees be given six months from the date of said notice, in which to make such changes in their buildings as will bring them within the provisions of said By-law.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Elliott, (15) that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

The Council adjourned at 9.30 p.m.

City Clerk.

Kingston, March 25th, 1907.

The regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Couper, Craig, Douglas, Elliott, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, Henderson, Kent, Millan, Nickle, Robertson, Ross, Toye.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Graham (1) that the minutes of the meeting of the Council March 6th and March 11th, 1907, be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications as summarized by the Clerk were read and referred as follows:—

Auditor's report to be printed.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Account from Dr. Campbell for examination of S. Babcock, lunatic.

James F. Gibson, M.D., asking for refund of business tax.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ontario Bridge Co., re the building of bridges.

H. H. Day, asking the privilege of removing a tree, 219 Bagot street.

R. J. McLennan, Assist. City Eng., asking for increase of salary.

D. Grimshaw Estate, asking removal of stones in front of property on Place d' Armes street.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

D. A. Sinclair, applying for the position of Engineer of Kingston Fire Department.

James Noble, applying for position of engineer of Kingston Fire Department.

William Miller, asking grant in aid of Mrs. John Sands.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Smythe, King & Smythe, for George Gordon, claim against the city for damages re leakage of gas pipe.

Lulu Staley, applying for position of stenographer and typewriter.

Jessie A. Lowe, applying for the position of stenographer and typewriter.

George Bearance, oiler; W. Bearance, fireman; H. Perry, fireman; F. Nancarrow, fireman; applying for increase of salary.

S. Hartrick, asking for wages for time of illness.

PRINTING COMMITTEE.

From the Board of Health, asking for that portion of the City's By-laws relating to public health.

FYLED.

From Auditor showing the number of patients in the Hospitals.

COURT OF REVISION.

James N. Pope, asking exemption from business tax.

PETITIONS.

Petition of C. A. Jones and others, asking for financial aid for James Babcock and wife. Referred to the Committee of Finance and Accounts.

REPORTS

Finance and Accounts.

Alderman Craig presented Report No. 27 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, March 22nd, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the request of Eliza Munroe be not granted.
2. That the sum of $93.41 for taxes be refunded to W. G. Craig & Co.
3. That the following accounts having been passed by the Auditor be paid:

Board of Works.

Pay List ending March 20th	$ 373 83

Fire and Light.

M. Dolan, repairing harness	$ 12 45
Kingston Coal Co	31 50
R. J. Reid, bed and bedding	17 25
The Northern Electric & Manufacturing Co., gravity zincs	15 00
G. T. R., freight on gravity zincs	78
W. A. Sawyer, rubber boots	4 00
James Laturney, repairs	18 80
J. A. McFarlane, oats No. 1 Station	17 20
Geo. Hentig, supplies	7 06
W. P. Peters, oats No. 2 Station	17 20
W. P. Peters, straw No. 1 Station	4 05
Fire & Water Journal	3 00
John McKee & Son, repairs No. 2 Station	13 41
A. E. Herod, repairs to rubber boots	75
F. Burns, L. Kane, V. Daly, extra help at Clark's fire	4 00
M. Fowler, for horse	200 00

Light, Heat and Power.

Pay List ending March 15th	$ 766 14
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil	137 50
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil	177 89
G. T. R., freight, gas oil	72 01
G. T. R., freight, gas oil	55 74
Wm. Cockburn, smithwork	9 69
Queen City Oil Co., head light oil	5 20
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	28 34
G. N. W. Tel. Co.	46
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies	48 59
Simmons Bros., supplies	7 44
The Canadian Freeman	4 00
John Corbett, supplies	3 25
Central Freight Association, hand-book	1 00
A. McLean, tallow	50
F. W. Spangenberg, repairing clock	50
Imperial Chemical Co., varnish	9 75
Jas. Reid, time allowance & medical fees	110 00
Canadian General Electric Co., watt meters	101 71
James W. Pyke & Co., steel beams	46 44
Can. Westinghouse Co., 50 per cent of price of generator.	2,535 50
F. Tracy, smithwork	8 65
Canadian Express Co., (two bills)	1 15
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps	4 00

Printing and Stationery.

S. A. Hentig, postage stamps for Local Improvement Notices	7 00
Canadian Freeman	34 50

Contingencies.

S. A. Hentig, postage stamps, City Clerk	$ 5 00
I. G. Bogart, examination lunatic (Peters)	5 00
G. W. Mylks, M.D., examination lunatic (Lazier)	5 00
K. & P. R.R., Pauper pass	90
Annie McIlroy, typewriting to March 25th	8 00

Miscellaneous.

C. G. Clark, commission on collection of dog tax from Jan. 1st to March 16th ..... $ 8 79
J. Taudvin, commission on collection of street watering from Jan. 1st to March 16th 37 79

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor & Chairman;
D. A. GIVENS,
R. F. ELLIOTT,
R. E. KENT,
J. S. R. McCANN.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Givens, (2) that the Report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented Report No. 28 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, March 22nd, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the King St. Breakwater be repaired as shown on the plan prepared by the City Engineer, by day labor using the existing materials as far as possible, and that the Chairman and City Engineer be authorized to purchase any new ties and other materials required on the work, and that the Finance Committee be requested to provide the sum of $1,500 for the purpose of carrying out the work.

2. That upon the report of the City Engineer upon the condition of the Earl Street Slip your Committee beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

(1.) That part of Earl Street lying east of Ontario St. and west of the Grand Trunk Branch Railway track was, by By-law duly ratified by Act of the Provincial Legislature closed up and divested of its character as a street and was leased to the Canadian Locomotive and Engine Company, (Limited), and their successors for the term of 99 years from the 1st May, 1882, at a yearly rental of five dollars.

(2.) Under the above lease the City may at any time take possession of the leased land upon giving twelve months' previous notice; if possession is taken within the first twenty-five years the city must pay for the buildings on the leased land at a price to be fixed by arbitration, but if possession is taken by the City after the expiration of the first twenty-five years of the lease the building must be removed at the expense of the Company.

(3.) The slip and a portion of the harbour lying east of the land covered by the above lease has been filled in by the Company, without notice or the authorization of the City and is being used and possessed by the Company for its purposes.

(4.) The City is, your Committee are advised, the owner of the slip and portion of the harbour so filled in and taken possession of by the Company and derives its title under the Act 9, Victoria, Chapter 75, which vests the harbour in the City Council except those parts at that date (1846) already granted to private persons or held for military purposes.

(5.) Your Committee is advised that if the Company is permitted to remain in undisputed possession of the slip and portion of the harbour so filled in, the Company may acquire a title by possession adverse to the City, one of the consequences of which would be that on the expiry of the Company's lease and the reverter of the leased portion of Earl Street to the City, the east and if that street would be forever cut off from the waters of the harbour.

(6.) Your Committee do not recommend the immediate ouster of the Company from the slip and portion of the harbour so filled in and taken possession of provided the Company acquiesces in the following arrangement which your Committee recommend be entered into for the purpose of preserving the title of the City to the slip and portion of the harbour in question.

(a.) A lease be entered into between the City and the Company for a period of years coterminus with the unexpired term of the above mentioned lease of a portion of Earl Street the condition of the slip and portion of the harbour to be as in the existing lease of a portion of Earl Street and the rental to be $5.00 a year until the expiry or sooner determination of proposed lease.

(b.) The sanction of the Governor-General in Council be obtained to the filling up of the slip and the portion of the harbour in question.

(7.) If the letting of the slip or portion of the harbour at a nominal rental amounts to a bonus to the lessee then the lease would be required to be sanctioned by the ratepayers as in the case of all municipal bonuses to manufacturers.

3. Upon the report of the City Engineer respecting the protraction of Ontario Street, King Street, Bay Street and North Street into the harbour, your Committee beg leave to recommend as follows:—

(1) That it is advisable that the City acquire the land and the land covered with water as shown on the accompanying plan of the City Engineer for the purpose of extending the said street as shown on said plan.

(2.) That with a view to acquiring title to the said land and land covered with water as shown on said plan, and a cancellation of the lease of the Kingston & Pembroke Railway Company as to said lands, negotiations be entered into at once with the proper department of the Government at Ottawa and that Mr. Harty, the member for the City, in the Dominion House, be asked to co-operate with this Council.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. GASKIN, Chairman;
C. J. GRAHAM,
R. E. KENT,
R. F. ELLIOTT,
J. S. R. McCANN.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott, (3); that the Report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Ross presented Report No. 29 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, March 22nd, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the wheels of the hose wagon be repaired and put in good condition to the satisfaction of the Chief of the Fire Dpartment.

2. That the services of James McGillivary be dispensed with on or after April 5th, 1907.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) A. E. ROSS, Chairman;
D. J. MILLAN,
L. L. HENDERSON,
W. F. NICKLE,
H. ANGROVE,
H. N. ROBERTSON.

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Nickle, (4) that the Report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 30 from the Committee on Light, Heat and Power as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, March 19th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the following reductions in the prices of gas and electricity be made:—

Illuminating gas from $1.50 to $1.00 per M. Cu. Ft.
Electric light from 12 cents to 10 cents per K. W. hour.
Electricity for power by 1 cent per K. W. hour., these to take effect at the beginning of July Quarter.

2. That the stock at the Light, Heat & Power plant be audited at the end of each year and that the Chairman be authorized to employ a competent man to do the work.

3. On the communication of H. R. Duff, Esq., M.D., that his request be not granted.

4. That a general canvass for new subscribers be made for gas and electricity for lighting and heating purposes and that the Chairman be authorized to take the necessary steps to carry into effect this resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman;
JOHN GASKIN,
D. A. GIVENS,
H. DOUGLAS,
D. COUPER,
G. Y. CHOWN.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Ross, (5), that the Report of the Light, Heat and Power Committee be considered clause by clause.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Chown, (6), that the Report of the Light, Heat and Power Committee be received and adopted.—Carried.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Ald. Nickle gave notice that he would move at the next regular meeting of this Council the adoption of the following: That the Light, Heat and Power Department charge the City for street lighting at cost.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Angrove, (7), that Council will now adjourn.—Carried.

Council then adjourned at 9.30 p.m.

City Clerk.

Kingston, April 8th, 1907.

The regular meeting of the Council was called this evening at 8 o'clock. His Worship, Mayor Mowat presiding. The Mayor being the only member present Council adjourned for want of a quorum.

Kingston, April 9th, 1907.

A special meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock. His Worship Mayor Mowat presided.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Carson, Givens, Graham, Chown, Craig, Douglas, Gaskin, Henderson, Kent, McCann, Millan, Nickle, Rigney, Ross.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Carson, (1) that the minutes of last meeting of Council be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications as summarized by the Clerk were read and referred as follows:—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Don. Guthrie, Inspector of Registry Offices, order to pay J. P. Gildersleeve $950.00 for new abstract.

Financial Post re issuing of debentures.

J. J. Behan, S.T., R.C.S.S.B., requisition for assessment rate for present year—4.78 mills.

P. Mitges, Chatham, re license for push cart.

R. J. Wright, Secretary of I.W.L. re the advisability of petitioning the Legislature as to the time of holding municipal elections.

BOARD OF WORKS.

R. Chas. Bell, re defective sidewalk on Markland St.

A. Tait, asking increased price for stone.

L. L. Henderson, replying to request to fasten sewer pipe to M. T. Co's dock.

Jno. McKay, re removal of tree in front of office on Brock street.

City Engineer, re scale of fees, By-law No. 12.

City Engineer, re construction of concrete walks.

City Engineer's report on Armstrong's building on Montreal street.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Calvin Jackson, applying to be appointed Chimney Viewer.

Fred Henderson, applying for position of engineer K.F.D.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

L. M. Hackett, applying for position of type-writer and stenographer in the office of L.H. & P.

Helen M. Butler, applying for position of type-writer and stenographer in the office of L.H. & P.

F. C. Laird, applying for position of type-writer and stenographer in the office of L.H. & P.

Alice M. Gates, applying for position of type-writer and stenographer in the office of L.H. & P.

Hugh Nickle, Sup't. K.P. & C.R.R. Co., requesting a written report as to the cause of the repeated heating of the bearing of their engine and suggestions as to what can be done to prevent a recurrence.

INDUSTRIES.

W. T. Minnes, President of Board of Trade, presenting the application of the Stanley Smelter Works for free site, exemption from taxes, &c., for the property known as the smelter site.

FILE.

Dr. C. A. Morrison, tendering his resignation from the Board of Education.

Daniel Reeves, tendering his resignation from the Board of Health.

Communication from the City Engineer, asking extension of time to report on Inspection of Public Buildings.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Kent, (2) that the City Engineer be given four weeks additional to complete his report on public meetings affected by the By-law in regard to egress from public buildings.—Carried.

Communication from the Board of Trade presenting application of Stanley Smelting Works for free site of exemption of taxation, for smelter site.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Chown, (3) that the communication of the Board of Trade with the accompanying communication of the Stanley Smelting Co. be referred to the Committee on Industries and the City Solicitor with instructions to enter into negotiations with the representatives of the Stanley Smelting Co. and if suitable terms can be arranged to report such terms in the form of a draft agreement to this Council at an early date.—Carried.

PETITIONS.

BOARD OF WORKS.

J. Lovitt and others against the street watering between King and Ontario Sts.

J. Lovitt and others against the street watering between Earl and Gore Sts.

M. Purtell and others for a continuance of a sewer drain on John St.

John H. Bell, petitioning for a drain on Concession St.

WATER WORKS.

William Carrol for waterworks extension between Earl and Union street.

REPORTS

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented Report No. 31 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Committee Room, April 5th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

(1) That on communication of E. Ryan, M.D., on the advice of the City Solicitor, his request be not granted.

(2) That on communication of R. V. Rogers, on the advice of the City Solicitor, his request be not granted.

(3) The payment of the sum of $5.00 to James Campbell, Esq., M.D., for examination of S. Babcock, lunatic.

(4) That on communication of James Gibson re refund of business tax that his request be not granted.

(5) That the following accounts having been passed by the Auditor be paid:—

BOARD OF WORKS.

Pay list, ending April 3rd	$545 72
S. Grimshaw, labor at breakwater	28 56
C. P. R. Telegraph Co. (2 bills)	59
John Corbett, supplies	35 81
Frontenac Lumber Co., Lumber	6 84

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

Kingston News	11 00
Kingston News	91 05
British Whig	12 00
British Whig	90 15

CONTINGENCIES.

S. A. Hentig, Postage stamps, City Clerk	5 00

WATER WORKS.

Pay list, ending March 4th	42 00
F. Tracey, repairs	1 73
Queen City Oil Co., Boiler Compound	17 64
Kingston News	16 20
Queen City Oil Co., Capital oil	17 99
Light Dept., gas March quarter	23 60
Light Dept., Cedar Pole	1 50
Engineering News for 1907	3 00

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Dominion Government, meter inspection	73 75
Queen City Oil Co., Cylinder oil	12 80
K., P. & C. St. R. Tickets	4 00
Oldrieve & Horn, Tarpaulin	19 75
Alf. Hanley, Zinc	3 60
R. J. Reid, Office Chair	8 50
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., Meter	3 33
P. T. Haffner, Board	11 00
Pay list, ending March 31st	703 66
Dominion Government, Duty	4 90
Water Works, March quarter	22 05
G. N. W. Tel. Co.	25
John Kelly, Smithwork	1 00
Canadian Express (3 bills)	2 50
G. T. Ry., Freight on Meters	64
	$871 83

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor & Chairman;
T. J. RIGNEY,
J. S. R. McCANN,
R. E. KENT,
D. A. GIVENS,
W. G. CRAIG.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. McCann, (4) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented Report No. 32, from the Board of Works as follows:—

Committee Rooms, Kingston, April 4th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

(1) That the Engineer be authorized to engage any extra assistance required in measuring up walks to be built under the local improvement plan, and sending notices to the property owners.

(2) That the petition of H. H. Day for the removal of a tree in front of 219 Bagot street be granted.

(3) That the petition of A. McNaughton and others for street watering on Union street from Frontenac street to Collingwood street be granted.

(4) That the City Engineer be authorized to advertise for Tenders for plank walks and crossings.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, Chairman;
J. S. R. McCANN,
R. E. KENT,
C. J. GRAHAM.
R. J. FREE.
R. HANLEY.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Free, (5), that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Waterworks.

Ald. Carson presented Report No. 33 from the Committee on Waterworks as follows:—

Committee Room, April 5th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Waterworks beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

(1) That the following tenders be accepted, viz.:—

Gartshore, Thomson Pipe & Foundry Co.—Cast-iron pipe at $38.00 per ton and Special Castings 3¼c per lb. F.O.B. Kingston.

Francis Tracey.—Steeling drills 25c per end, Steeling picks 15c per end, Dressing drills 9c per drill, Dressing picks 8c per pick.

T. C. Wilson & Son.—Horse, $18.00 per month, the horse to be satisfactory to the Superintendent.

Queen City Oil Co.—Star Boiler Compound, 35c per gal.; Coal Oil, American Headlight, 12½c per gal.

Canadian Oil Co.—Cup Grease, Arctic, 4⅛c per lb.; Capital Cylinder Oil, 28c per gal.; Renown Engine Oil, 22½c per gal.

W. B. Dalton & Sons.—Coal Scoops, 88c each; Lanterns, Cold Blast, 50c each; Powder, Blasting, $2.00 per keg; Fuse, single tape, 45c per 100 feet.

John Corbett.—Lantern globes, 5c each; Packing, rubber back, 34c per lb.; Dualin, 15¾c per lb.; Yarn, Tarred as per sample, 8c per lb.; Pick Handles, 12c each.

W. A. Mitchell.—Picks, 5c per lb.; Shovels, $6.75 doz.

Thos. Robertson & Co.—Lead pipe, 7c per lb., less 5 per cent. Cash in 30 days less 2 per cent., F.O.B. Montreal.

McKelvey & Birch.—T.H. Cocks, 64c each; Coupling cocks, 77c each; Fire Clay, 60c per 100 lbs.; Globes, gas, $1.60 per doz.; Gasoline, 24c per gal.; Glasses, Water Gauge 1 in., 65c per doz.; Hose, ¾-inch, 3-ply, 9c per ft.; Mantles, $1.50 per doz.; Packing, Garlock Oil, 55c per lb.; Wick, cotton, 25c per lb.; Wick, Asbestos, 30c per lb.; Washers for Water Gauges, 30c per doz., and iron pipe fittings as follows:—

	⅜	½	¾	1	1¼	1½	2	2½	3	4
Bushings, each	2	2	2½	3	3½	4½	7	12	14	22
Discs, Jenkins, each	3½	4½	5	6	9	13	18	24	30	50
Elbows, each	4	5	6	8	12	16	24	45	65	—
Nipples, each	2	2	2½	3½	4	5	7	14	17	27
Plugs, each	1	1	1½	2	2½	3½	5	9	13	19
Pipe, Blk. Iron, per ft.	2.60	3.15	4	5¾	7¾	9.30	12.40	20	24	35
Pipe, Galv., per ft.	—	4.10	5.30	7.60	10½	12	18	28	36	50
Reducers, each	2	2	3	3	4	5	7	12	15	25
Tees, each	4	5	6	9	12	18	27	50	80	—
Unions, each	9	10	12	15	21	26	34	70	94	—
Valves, Can. Jenkins, ea.	80	1.00	1.40	1.75	2.50	3.50	5.50	9.75	13.50	

Buffalo Meter Co., Water meters, and parts of meters, as per list of January 1st, 1907.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) JOHN CARSON, Chairman;
W. G. CRAIG.
L. L. HENDERSON.
D. J. MILLAN.
W. F. NICKLE.
T. J. RIGNEY.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Craig, (6), that the report of the Committee on Waterworks be received and adopted.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Rigney presented Report No. 34 from the Committee on Light, Heat & Power as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, April 5, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

(1) On the communication of E. Hartrick that his request be not granted.

(2) That the following tenders for supplies be accepted:—

Canadian Meter Co., Meter Couplings.

3 Lt. Couplings consisting of 6 pieces, 2 caps., 2 swivels and 2 washers, $2.88 per doz.

5 Lt. Couplings, consisting of 6 pieces, 2 caps, and 2 washers, $4.20 per doz.

10 Lt. Couplings, consisting of 6 pieces, 2 caps, 2 swivels and 2 washers, $6.00 per doz.

Canadian General Electric Co., Toronto, R.C. Wire.

500 feet W.C.R.C. Wire, No. 14, per 1,000 feet ..... $ 9 25
500 feet W.C.R.C. Wire, No. 12, per 1,000 feet 12 75
500 feet W.C.R.C. Wire, No. 10, per 1,000 feet 18 50
(flex.) 200 feet W.C.R.C. Cable, No. 12 (flex.), per 1,000 feet 16 90

W. Lamb. Poles.

10 Poles, 25 feet long, each 1 30
30 Poles, 30 feet long, each 1 60
11 Poles, 35 feet long, each 1 75
1 Pole, 45 feet long, each 3 00

An additional fee of $10.00 will have to be added to above price on poles, same to cover commission and inspection on above carload.

Acid Yaeger Soldering Salts.

Can. Gen. Elec. Co., 100 ½ in. bbls 28 22

Arc Lamp Globes, 13, ½x13, ½x6x8 in. for enclosed arc.

R. E. T. Pringle, per dozen 10 00

Arc Lamp Globes, No. 49 Inner globe. (Enclosed Arc).

Can. Gen. Elec. Co., Clear glass, per dozen 1 35
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., Opal glass, per dozen 1 60

Arc Globes, open 12x4.

Canadian General Electric Co., per dozen 6 00

Asbestos, Sheet.

Canadian Asbestos Co., 100 lbs 4 50

Babbit Metal, per lb.

McKelvey & Birch, Magnolia, per lb 23c

Belting Leather, heavy double, light double, and single, extra quality.

John Corbett, Heavy Double, Disc. off ..... 60, 10, 10 and 3 p.c.
Light Double, Disc. off ..... 60, 10, 10, 10 and 3 p.c.
Single, Disc. off ..... 60, 10, 10 and 3 p.c.

Benzine, Can. Oil Co., per gal 17½c

Boiler Compound, per lb.

McColl Bros., 100 lbs 2 90

Brass Polish, Columbia.

McKelvey & Birch, 16 oz 30c

Brick, Fire, per M.

McKelvey & Birch (Phoenix), per M 26 00
6x6x9 in., Circular, each 16c

Brooms, extra heavy.

McKelvey & Birch, per dozen 3 00

Brushes, Paint, ¾ inch flat and 3 in. oval.

John Corbett, ¾ inch, each 5c
3 inch, each 75c
Carriage Bolts, ⅜x3½, per 100.
McKelvey & Birch, per 100 ..... 72c
Carbons, ½x12, per M, plain seconds, open Arc lamps.
Nat. Carbon Co., per M., F.O.B. Cleveland..... 7 00
Nat. Carbon Co., ½x7, per M., F.O.B., Cleveland..... 5 00
Carbons, ½x12, solid for enclosed arc lamps.
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., per M..... 29 00
Carbons, ½x12, cored for enclosed arc lamps.
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., per M..... 33 12
Cleats, Porcelain, 3 wire and 2 wire.
R. E. T. Pringle, per M..... 13 00 11 00
Cord, flexible lamp, new code, No. 16, per yd.
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., per 100 yds..... 4 75
Cement, Portland, per bbl.
Board of Works, plus 10c for each sack 1 89
Coach Screws, ⅜x4.
McKelvey & Birch, per 100 ..... 1 15
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., ½x7, per 100 ..... 1 95
Coal Scoops, 1 piece, Jones No. 4, No. 6.
John Corbett 75c, 80c
Cross Arm Braces, 22½x1x¼.
Pringle, 100 lbs..... 3 90
Diaphragms, for gas meters.
Can. Meter Co., 25 in..... 50 00
Emery Cloth, per quire.
McKelvey & Birch, per quire 35c
Files, all sizes, disc. off list.
John Corbett ..... 76 per cent. off list.
Fire Clay, per ton.
McKelvey & Birch, per ton 8 00
Fuse, per 100 feet length.
Lemmon & Sons, double tape, 100 feet..... 55c
Fuse Wire, per 100 lbs.
R. E. T. Pringle, 8 to 30 amperes, per lb..... 35c
Gaskets, Smith, for hand and Manholes, per lb.
McKelvey & Birch, per lb. Manhole 90c
Galvanized Iron, for patching, per lb.
Lemmon & Sons, per lb..... 6c
Gasoline.
Imperial Chemical Company, per gal..... 20c
Glass, window, standard sizes, for repairing.
McKelvey & Birch ..... 50 per cent. off list.
Glass, water Scotch, ¾x20, per doz.
Corbett, per dozen 1 19
Glue, Lepage's, pints, per doz.
Corbett, per dozen 4 45
Hose, water, 1½ in., 3-ply, per ft.
John Corbett, per ft..... 21c
Hose, steam, 1 inch, 4-ply, per ft.
McKelvey & Birch, per ft..... 45c
Insulators, glass, D.G.D.P., per 100.
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., per 100..... 3 73
Insulators, Porcelain, 2x2, per 100.

R. E. T. Pringle, per 100 ..... 1 60
Insulators, strain, 2 in., per 100.
R. E. T. Pringle, per 100 ..... 30 00
Knobs, Porcelain, 1 and 2 in.
Can. Gen., No. 1719, per M 16 50
No. 2173, per M 4 25
Lamps, incandescent.
Ont. L. & L. Co, F.O.B. Hamilton 14c, 20c 20c
Lead, pure, free from scrap, in bars, 100-200 lbs.
Can. Metal Co., per 100 ..... 5 40
Lead, red, per pound.
J. Corbett, per lb 6c
Lead, white, per lb.
Corbett, per 100 ..... 6 45
Litharge, per lb.
Can. Oil Co., per lb 6c
Lime, per 100 lbs.
Wm. Allan, per 100 lbs 17c
Lumber, per M. ft.
A. Chadwick, Hemlock rough, per M 19 50
Meters, gas, all sizes, disc. off list.
Can. M. Co., 30 light list, net 16 89
Prepay Meters.
Can. Meter Co., 5 light, net 11 50
Meters, electric, all sizes.
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., 5 amp 11 12
10 amp 11 97
Direct Current, 220 volts, 3 wire.
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., 3½ amp 14 53
7½ amp 15 39
15 amp 22 23
25 amp 25 65
50 amp 29 93
100 amp 38 48
150 amp 55 58
Alternating Current, 110 volts, 2 wire.
Westinghouse, 5 amp 11 90
10 amp 13 30
20 amp 17 04
Moulding, for interior wiring, 2 and 3 wire, 100 ft.
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., per ft 1.09 1 41
Nails, 1, 2, 3, 4 in., per 100 lbs.
Lemmon & Sons, ... 3.50, 2.55 2.50 2 50
Oakum per lb.
Corbett 4½c
Oil, Neat's Foot, per gal.
McColl Bros., per gal 65c
Oil, Boiled Linseed, per bbl.
Lemmon & Sons, per gal 60c
Oil, black, per bbl.
McKelvey & Birch, per gal 11c
Oil, dynamo, equal globe, electric.
Queen City Oil Co., per gal. A dyn 23c 36c
Oil, kerosene, Canadian.
McKelvey & Birch, per gal 14½c
Packing, Garlock high pressure, ring made to size.

McKelvey & Birch, per lb..... 1 45
Packing, Garlock ring made to size.
McKelvey & Birch, per lb..... 55c
Packing, Garlock coil.
McKelvey & Birch, per lb..... 50c
Packing, elastic back, ½x⅝.
Can. Asb. Co., per lb..... 25c
Packing, Core round, per lb.
McKelvey & Birch, per lb..... 50c
Packing, rubber C, per lb.
McKelvey & Birch, per lb..... 65c
Packing, rubber rainbow, per lb.
McKelvey & Birch, genuine..... 75c
Packing, flax, per lb.
Corbett, per lb..... 16c
Packing wick, cotton, per lb.
Can. Asb. Co., 2 in..... 24c
Paint, ready mixed.
Can. Oil Co., per gal..... 1 10
Paint, Sherwin & Williams.
Corbett, per gal..... 2 45
Pins, top 1½ in. oak, per 100.
Can. Gen. Elec. Co.....85c and 1 50
Picks, rock and dirt, each.
Corbett.....9½c lb. rock; 37c each, 5 to 6 lbs.
Powder, blasting.
Corbett, 25 lbs..... 2 10
Pick Handles, each.
Lemmon, each..... 12c
Plumbago, grd., per lb.
Can. Oil Co., per lb..... 4½c
Putty, per lb.
Corbett..... 2c
Plumber and Helper, per hour.
McKelvey & Birch, 2nd grade, per hr..... 40c
Petrolatum, per lb.
Queen City Oil Co..... No. 1, 5½c; No. 4, 3¾c
Rags for wiping, per 100 lbs.
McKelvey & Birch, per 100 lbs..... 4 50
Rope, Manilla, ½, ¾ and ⅝ in.
McKelvey & Birch, per lb., best..... 16c
Sand Paper, No. 1, 1½, 2.
McKelvey & Birch, B. & A. No. 1 best, per rm..... 4 38
Sand, per load.
R. H. Fair..... 2 50
Sash Cord, galvanized.
Corbett, per ft..... 2¼c
Screws, wood, all sizes, per gross.
McKelvey & Birch, flat head.....87½ p.c. off list
Side blocks, per 100.
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., per 100..... 2 00
Shovels.
Lemmon & Sons, each.....50c, 50c, 50c 50c
Solder, ½ and ½ per lb.
McKelvey & Birch, per 100 lbs..... 24½c
Solder Wire.

Can. Metal Co., per lb..... 25½c
Sledges, each.
McKelvey & Birch, per lb..... 6c
Sledge Handles, each.
Lemmon & Sons, each..... 12c
Tape, insulating, black, per lb.
J. Halliday Elec. Co., per lb..... 28c
Tinsmith and Helper, per hour.
Lemmon & Sons, per hour..... 40c
Tile, 12 and 6 in., disc. off list.
McKelvey & Birch, off list..... 60 per cent.
Tubes, porcelain, ⅜x3.
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., No. 1894 (unglazed), per 100..... 29c
Turpentine, per gal.
McKelvey & Birch, strictly pure southern..... 98c
Twine, mattress, per lb.
McKelvey & Birch, standard, per lb..... 30c
Valves, rubber, hard, for pump.
McKelvey & Birch, No. 440, per lb..... 1 00
Washers, iron, ½in., per lb.
Corbett, per lb..... 7c
Waste Cotton, No. 1, white, per lb.
McKelvey & Birch, per lb..... 8½c
Wood Alcohol, per gal.
Can. Oil Co., per gal..... 90c

TRANSFORMERS.

Size. K.W.	Can. Gen. Elec. Co. Type H. K. W.
2	35 00
2½	42 00
3	45 50
4	58 50
5	64 00
7½	91 50
10	117 00
15	162 00
20	220 00
25	256 00
30	330 00

Wrought Iron Pipes and Fittings.
McKelvey & Birch.
Bushings..... ¼, ⅜, ½, ¾, 1
Bushings..... 2, 2, 2, 2½, 3
Cocks, Plug C., Iron..... 53, 65
Cocks, Plug Brass..... 47, 55, 62, 94, 1.30
Discs. Jenkins..... 3, 4, 5, 6, 7
Discs. Can., Jenkins..... 2½, 3, 4, 5, 6
Elbows, cast iron..... 4, 5
Elbows, Malleable..... 19, 19, 12, 10, 10
Nipples, right hand..... 2, 2, 2, 3, 4
Nipples, right and left..... 5, 8
Plugs..... 1, 1, 1, 1½, 2
Pipe iron, black..... 2½, 2.60, 3.15, 4, 5.75
Pipe iron, galvanized..... 4.50, 5.50, 7.60
Reducers Bush..... 2, 2, 2, 2½ 3

Reducing Buckles 3, 3, 4, 5, 6
Tees, cast iron 5, 6
Tees, Malleable.....19, 19, 12, 10, 10
Unions, screw 8, 9, 10, 12, 15
Unions, Flange.....23, 26
Valves, globe common 36, 39, 50, 63, 90
Valves, Jenkins' Genuine 88, 1.00, 1.28, 1.76, 2.24
Valves, Jenkins, McAvety.....72, 81, 1.04, 1.43, 1.82
Cutting Threads 2, 2, 3, 3½, 4
Bushings 1¼, 1½, 2, 2½, 3
Bushings 4, 5, 7, 12, 14
Cocks, plug C, Iron 80, 98, 1.35, 2.20, 3.38
Cocks, plug C, Brass.....2.05 2.65, 4.00, 8.00, 12.40
Discs. Jenkins 9, 13, 18, 24, 30
Discs. Jenkins, each.....7, 11, 15, 18, 24
Elbows, cast iron 7, 9, 12, 22, 33
Elbows, Malleable 10, 10, 10, 10, 10
Nipples, rt. hand 5, 6, 8, 15, 25
Nipples, rt. and lft.....10, 12, 15
Plugs 2½, 3½, 5, 10, 15
Pipe iron, blk.....7.75, 9.30, 12.40, 20, 26
Pipe iron, Galv.....10.50, 12.00, 18.00
Reducers Bush.....4, 5, 7, 12, 14
Reducing Buckles 8, 10, 18
Tees, cast-iron 10, 13, 18, 33, 45
Tees, Malleable 10, 10, 10, 10, 10
Unions, screw 21, 26, 34, 70, 95
Unions, flange 32, 44, 55, 63, 75
Valves, globe, common 1.26, 1.75, 2.65, 5.00, 7.00
Valves, Jenkins Genuine 3.20, 4.40, 7.00
Valves, Jenkins, McAvety 2.60, 3.57, 5.70, 10.20, 14.00
Cutting Threads 5, 5, 6, 10, 12
Cutting Threads 4, 5, 6
Bushings, each 22, 45, 60
Cocks, Plugs, cast iron 8.00
Cocks, Plugs, Brass.
Discs. Jenkins, each 50, 70, 90
Can, Jenkins, each 43, 60, 80
Elbows, cast iron 55, 90, 1.20
Elbows, Malleable, per lb.....10, 10, 10
Nipples, rt. hand.....35, 60, 70
Plugs 24, 45, 65
Pipe, iron, blk.....40, 62, 80
Reducers bush.....22, 45, 60
Tees, cast iron 75, 1.30, 1.75
Tees, Malleable, per lb.....10, 10, 10
Unions, flange, per pr.....$1.05, 1.60, 2.00
Cutting Threads, each 20, 30, 40

All these prices subject to a further discount of 2½ per cent. when taken in lots of not less than $200.00 worth at one delivery.

(3) That tenders be asked for a storage tank for use at the Plant.

(4) That the Chairman be authorized to purchase Hard Coal Screenings, price not to exceed $1.75 and quality to pass inspection by J. M. Campbell, Manager.

(5) That the tenders for grease, cylinder oil and engine oil be not awarded at present and that the Chairman be authorized to purchase samples of above in order to be satisfied as to quality.

6*a*. That the Committee on Light, Heat & Power supply the Corporation of the City of Kingston with 149 lights at $60.00 per lamp.

b. That all arrangements for crediting lights out and lights on are hereby cancelled.

c. That the plant be run on the moonlight schedule.

d. That when lights are required to be ordered on, i.e., when the nights are dark during the moonlight schedule, that the Chief of Police assume the responsibility for ordering the lights on.

e. That a record of lights out be kept by the Chief of Police.

f. That the above arrangement take effect and come into force at the beginning of the July quarter.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) D. A. GIVENS, (objecting to clause 1)
H. Douglas, (objecting to clause 1)
G. Y. CHOWN.
J. GASKIN
T. J. RIGNEY.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Chown, (7) that the report of the Committee on Light, Heat & Power be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. McCann, seconded by Ald. Free, that clause 1 of the report of the Committee on Light, Heat & Power be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.—Carried.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Nickle, that clause (*f*) be amended to read "That the above arrangement take effect from now."—Carried.

The original motion was then carried as amended.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Ross presented Report No. 35 from the Committee on Fire & Light as follows:—

Committee Room, April 9th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That applications for Mechanical Engineer for K.F.D. be asked, by advertising in the City press.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) A. E. ROSS, Chairman;
W. F. NICKLE.
D. J. MILLAN.
L. L. HENDERSON.
C. J. GRAHAM.
H. ANGROVE.

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Nickle, (8), that the report of the Committee on Fire & Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

Ald. Gaskin presented Report No. 36 of the Special Committees of the Light, Heat & Power and Board of Works as follows:—

Committee Room, April 8th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Special Committee on Light, Heat and Power and Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

On the abating of the nuisance of the Queen street slip that the pipe discharging the tarry refuse from the Gas Works be replaced by a 3 inch iron pipe extended out 100 feet from the end of the slip and connected to the sewer outlet.

That the 18 inch sewer be extended out to the end of the M. T. Co's dock with a 10 inch wrot iron pipe strapped to the lowest timber of the cribwork of said dock, with iron straps and that the condensing water discharge pipe be connected to the iron pipe provided with an overflow pipe discharging at the end of the dock. The 10 inch pipe to be fitted wth a valve and connections for attaching the hose from the hydrants for the purpose of flushing.

That the 10 inch iron pipe be protected with two 12 inch by 12 inch wales securely bolted to the cribwork, one at the top of cribwork and the other just below the water level.

That a lease be entered into between the city and the M. T. Co. on the terms suggested in the letter to the City Council.

That the cost of the work as estimated by the City Engineer will be $4,500.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, Chairman;
E. R. BECKWITH, City Eng.
R. F. ELLIOTT.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott, (9), that the report of the Special Committee on Light, Heat & Power and Board of Works on the Queen Street Sewer be received and adopted. That the Finance Committee be requested to provide the necessary funds, viz., $4,500.

Ald Givens presented Report No. 37 of the Special Committee on the Consolidation of By-laws as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—Your Committee appointed to revise the By-laws of the City beg leave to submit the accompanying draft of the Revised By-laws bearing the numbers 1 to 37 both inclusive and recommend that they be adopted and passed by this Council. This draft is substantially a consolidation of the By-laws of this Corporation or general application now in force.

Your Committee have in this compilation sought chiefly to rearrange the By-laws and the matters treated of in them so as to make them easy of access and convenient of reference. This end has been attempted to be attained by grouping the By-laws as a whole in an order suggested by their content and further in each individual By-law by treating allied topics under a common heading interpolated into the text: while the addition of copious marginal notes will, it is hoped, prove serviceable in this regard. Besides these aids to convenience an exhaustive index is in the course of preparation which will further facilitate reference to the subject matter of these enactments.

Your Committee also submit herewith as prefatory matter to the Revised By-laws proper the accompanying printed lists of Members of the Councils of Kingston from the incorporation as a Town in 1838 to the present year: also a list of the principal officials of the Town and City and a table of all By-laws passed

by the Corporation since its erection into a Town to 31st December, 1906. These two latter are new features in the Consolidation.

To the printed parts of the proposed volume herewith submitted index, now in preparation, will be added an appendix containing a mass of material of such historical and practical value. The appendix will, amongst other material, contain the Acts incorporating Kingston as a Town and City and defining its boundaries and vesting in the Council and Market Square and Harbour, all By-laws relating to the opening, extending, closing and naming of streets, all Acts, By-laws and Agreements relating to the Street Railway and the By-laws of the Board of Commissioners of Police. Only those of the documents referred to in the appendix which were thought to be of sufficient value are printed at length, the others are noted by the title and date of passing with a brief statement of their subject.

The printing of the remaining portions of the work is proceeding rapidly and it is hoped that the completed volume will be in the hands of the members of Council in a few weeks.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) D. A. GIVENS, Chairman;
T. J. RIGNEY.
W. F. NICKLE.
D. M. McINTYRE.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Rigney, (10) that the Report of the Special Committee on the Consolidation of By-laws be received and adopted.—Carried.

CIVIC BUDGET, 1907

Committee Room, City Hall, Kingston, April 3, 1907.

The Committee on Finance and Accounts, in submitting the estimates for the year 1907, beg to report as follows:

The Bonded Debt of the City, including debentures not yet issued, but authorized by by-laws, is $1,220,802.15, made up as follows:

Water Works	$ 230,900 00
Light Works	285,125 00

SCHOOLS—		
Public	$ 26,800 00	
High	19,800 00	
		$ 46,600 00
LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS—		
City Portion	$ 84,710 94	
Local Portion	127,141 56	
		$ 211,852 50
General Purposes		$ 446,324 65
		$ 1,220,802 15

The amount of the sinking Fund is $92,991.74, of which $81,974.25 is invested in Local Improvement Bonds of this City, and $11,017.49 is on special deposit in the Bank of British North America.

The amount of taxes to be levied for the Sinking Fund this year is $8,800.88, the property owners specially benefited paying $5,148.62 and the City generally $3,652.26.

Your Committee takes this opportunity of calling attention to the constantly increasing demands made on our Municipal finances by the Board of Education. The amount handed over to that body last year was $2,487, in excess of the appropriation for 1905 and this year a further increase of $1,358 has been asked; making the total amount requistioned for this purpose in 1907, $39,181 as against $31,800 ten years ago. During this period our revenue has not appreciably increased and, consequently, to meet the growing demands of the Board of Education the different branches of the Municipal Service have been cramped to an extent that is now almost approaching starvation. Your Committee does not criticize the details of the increased Educational expenditure but we think it would be well to bring the question to an issue for the double purpose of causing the taxpayers to scrutinize more closely the expenditure of the Board and of bringing home to that body itself a greater sense of financial responsibility, and, with this end in view, we would suggest that in future every increased demand of the Board of Education be met by a proportionate increase in the tax rate.

In this year's budget we have deducted from the Board of Education estimates the amount of $900 asked for to establish a Domestic Science Department, as having in view the condition of the City's finances, we find that it is impossible to grant this without increasing the rate of taxation, and we recommend that the City Clerk be instructed to write the Board to this effect, as we feel confident that the members of the Board will be willing to assist in maintaining the taxation at its present figure.

Your Committee recommends that motion No. 14 of Dec. 17th, 1906, be reconsidered. That the amount of $1,483.11, held as a fund for the purchase of a Tar Macadam Plant, be transferred to the credit of the Board of Works, thus making the total amount allowed for streets $14,183.11 as against $13,200 last year.

Your Committee considers it a matter of congratulation, that notwithstanding the large additional expenditure required for repairs to the Breakwater, changes in the Fire Department, Consolidation of By-laws, and for O'Kill sewer, that it is able to allow the spending departments more than last year without increasing the rate of taxation.

Your Committee regrets that it finds it impossible to at present provide for any increase of salaries to certain deserving officials, but hopes that, as was the case last year, the finances may render this possible at some later period of the year.

Your Committee recommends that a rate of 20 mills on the dollar be imposed on this year's assessment.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
D. A. GIVENS,
W. G. CRAIG.
T. J. RIGNEY.
R. F. ELLIOTT,
R. E. KENT,
J. S. R. McCANN,

STATEMENT OF FLOATING LIABILITIES AS ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1906 AND ASSETS APPLICABLE AGAINST SUCH LIABILITIES.

LIABILITIES.

Debentures and Interest, due 31st December, 1906		$23,902 13
Bills Payable		50,000 00
TRUST FUND—		
House of Industry	$1,900 00	
Board of Education	1,500 00	
		$ 3,400 00
Unpaid Accounts		$ 3,680 15
Fund for tar macadam plant		1,483 11
Total Liabilities		$ 82,465 39
Balance-Surplus		3,565 27
		$ 86,030 66

ASSETS.

Cash	$ 30,311 49
Taxes, 1906, (including street watering)	900 00
Bills Receivable	333 28
Local Improvements	49,751 25
O'Kill Street Sewer	2,659 31
Stock (Street Material)	1,838 55
Sundry Accounts	236 78
Total Assets	$ 86,030 66

REVENUE 1907.

			Estimated Revenue 1907	*Actual Revenue 1906*	*Over 1906*	*Under 1906*
SURPLUS from 1906			$ 3,565 27			
RENTS—						
Bank	$ 550 00					
Waterworks Dept	300 00					
Light	200 00					
City Hall	700 00	$1,750 00				
Market Tolls		1,400 00				
Smelter Site		100 00				
Bell Telephone Co.		700 00				
Portion of Streets		6 50	$ 3,956 50	$ 3,504 70	$ 451 80	
LICENSES—						
Liquor	$ 8,500 00					
Auctioneers	120 00					
Cabs and Livery Stables	130 00					
Carters	300 00					
Second-Hand Shops	180 00					
Shows	100 00					
Butchers	80 00					
Victuallers	10 00					
Milk Venders	50 00					
Billiards	340 00					
Hawkers	100 00		$ 9,910 00	$ 10,774 82		$ 864 82
RAILWAY TAX			$ 200 00		$ 200 00	
FINES AND FEES—Police Court			1,100 00	$ 1,106 75		$ 6 75
DOMINION GOVERNMENT			388 13	388 13		
NON-RESIDENT LAND TAX			1,700 00	2,252 44		$ 552 44
SEWER TAX			200 00	199 64	36	
DIVIDENDS ON STOCK			800 00	1,000 00		$ 200 00
INTEREST ON TAXES			800 00	760 33	$ 39 67	
SERVICES OF CITY OFFICIALS—						
Water Works	$1,875 00					
Light Department	2,325 00					
			4,200 00			
Total Revenue from Sources other than Taxation			$ 26,819 90			
ASSESSMENT—						
$7,949,780 @ 20 mills		$158,995 60				
Less Remission & Uncollectable		9,700 00				
		$149,295 60				
Dog and Statute Labor	$ 1,471 00					
Street Watering Tax	2,600 00					
			$153,366 60			
Total Estimated Revenue			$180,186 50			

EXPENDITURE.

		Estimated Exp. 1907	*Actual Exp. 1906*	*Over 1906*	*Under 1906*
UNCONTROLLABLE—					
DEBENTURES	$20,502 00				
INTEREST	24,117 67				
		$44,619 67	$44,200 00	$ 419 67	
SINKING FUND—					
Provision for payment of City portion of Local Improvement		$ 3,652 26	$ 3,151 24	$ 501 02	
ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE—					
Portion, Jury Expenses	$ 811 09				
Use of Goal, Etc	3,165 00				
Portion of cost of maintaining Court House	744 93				
Rent, Division Court Room	75 00				
Conveyance, Prisoners, Lunatics, Etc	19 90				
		$ 4,815 92	$ 6,461 93		$ 1,646 01
POLICE DEPARTMENT—					
Police Magistrate	$ 1,400 00				
Chief Constable	1,000 00				
Police Constables	7,140 00				
Clothing Allowance	728 00				
Fuel and Gas	275 00				
Cleaning, Repairs, Etc	75 00				
Cabs, Carts, Etc	20 00				
Telephone	40 00				
Cabinet for blank forms	25 00				
		$10,703 00	$10,543 89	$ 159 11	
SCHOOLS—					
Public Schools	$29,365 00				
Collegiate Institute	8,916 00				
Separate Schools	6,050 00				
		$44,331 00	$43,877 88	$ 453 12	
Total Uncontrollable		108,121 85			
CONTROLLABLE—					
INTEREST—					
On Trust Funds	$ 174 00				
Discount on Taxes	1,600 00				
		$ 1,774 00	$ 1,711 55	$ 62 45	
ELECTION EXPENSES		$ 375 00	1,057 70		$ 682 70
REFUND ON TAXES		350 00	366 66		$ 16 66
INSURANCE		475 00	170 34	$ 304 66	
PRINTING AND STATIONARY		1,800 00	1,758 71	41 29	
COMMITTEE ON INDUSTRIES		500 00	377 88	122 12	
STREET WATERING		2,600 00	2,399 23	200 77	
BOARD OF HEALTH—					
Health Officer	$ 500 00				
Sanitary Inspector	100 00				
Grants	130 00				
Incidentals	50 00				
		$ 780 00	$ 920 54		$ 140 50

		Estimated Exp. 1907	*Actual Exp. 1906*	*Over 1906*	*Under 1906*
PARKS—					
Caretaker	$ 500 00				
Appropriation	1,400 00	$ 1,900 00	$ 1,564 47	$ 335 53	
CITY PROPERTY—					
Fuel and Gas, City Hall	$ 700 00				
Market Clerk	409 86				
Scavenger	225 00				
Appropriation	1,727 59				
		$ 3,062 45	2,626 28	436 17	
BOARD OF WORKS—					
Assistant Engineer	$ 750 00				
Telephone	40 00				
Appropriation	11,910 00				
		$12,700 00	13,200 00		500 00
BREAKWATER		1,500 00			
O'KILL STREET SEWER		850 00			
FIRE DEPARTMENT—					
Salaries	$ 7,250 00				
Water	750 00				
Additional man and team and carpenter work	1,195 00				
Appropriation	2,910 20				
		$12,105 20	10,694 43	1,410 77	
LIGHTING STREETS		8,900 00	8,607 43	292 57	
SALARIES—					
Allowance to Mayor	$ 800 00				
City Clerk	1,200 00				
Assistant	400 00				
Typewriter	208 00				
Treasurer	1,400 00				
Assistance	250 00				
Collector	1,000 00				
Collecting street watering tax, etc., and delivering tax demands	75 00				
Clerk (E. Moore)	1,200 00				
Clerk (W. A. Newlands)	1,000 00				
Engineer	1,500 00				
Solicitor	800 00				
Assessor	1,000 00				
Assistance	200 00				
Auditor	800 00				
Messenger	550 00				
Caretaker of Clock	40 00				
Court of Revision	150 00				
		$12,573 00	12,184 13	388 87	
CONTINGENCIES—					
Grant House of Industry	$ 800 00				
" " Providence	100 00				
" General Hospital	3,000 00				
" Hotel Dieu	1,000 00				
" Orphans' Home	175 00				
" Children's Aid Soc	50 00				
" Home for Friendless					

		Estimated Exp. 1907	*Actual Exp. 1906*	*Over 1906*	*Under 1906*
Grant Women and Children	$ 300 00				
" Poor Relief	175 00				
" Mechanics' Institute	400 00				
" Victorian Order of Nurses	150 00				
" Teachers' Institute	25 00				
Post Mortems, etc	50 00				
Coffins and Interments	75 00				
Pauper passages	100 00				
Postage and telegrams	80 00				
Reporters' Fees, 2 at $35 ea.	70 00				
Removing refuse from streets and harbor	50 00				
Registration of By-laws and searches	40 00				
Rent, nuisance ground	200 00				
Cab hire	35 00				
Ontario Municipal Assoc.	15 00				
Selection of Jurors	60 00				
Registration Births, Deaths and Marriages	200 00				
Telephones	80 00				
City Registry Office	250 00				
Law Expenses	100 00				
Consolidation of City By-laws	1,500 00				
Band Concerts	300 00				
Incidentals	440 00	9,820 00	8,453 71	1,366 29	
Total Controllable Expenditure		$ 72,064 65			
Total Uncontrollable Expenditure		108,121 85			
Total Estimated Expenditure		$180,186 50			

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Chown, (11), that the City Budget as printed, be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Graham that the Council go into Committee of the Whole that the Budget be considered clause by clause, with the Mayor in the Chair.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Nickle, that the recommendation made in the Budget for the year 1907, in reference to the Tar Macadam plant be struck out.—Lost.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Gaskin that the amount of $300 set apart for Band Concerts be struck out.—Lost.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Givens, that the item in Contingencies, viz., $300 for Band Concerts be changed to read $200 and that $100 be added to the salary of the Assistant Engineer, making this read, $850 instead of $750.—Lost.

The original motion was then carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Gaskin introduced By-law No. 14, 1907.

The By-law was read a first time and, the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Henderson in the chair: and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 14, 1907.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 8, (1907).

Be it enacted by the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. By-law No. 8, 1907, is amended by adding at the end of Section 1 the following clause:—

"(32) Union Street from Frontenac to Collingwood Street."

2. This By-law shall come into force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L.S.]
W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

Ald. Givens introduced By-law No. 15, 1907.

The By-law was read a first time and, the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. McCann in the chair: was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 15, 1907.

A By-law respecting the revised By-laws of the City of Kingston.

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. The By-laws numbers 1 to 37 inclusive, contained in the printed volume accompanying the report of the Committee upon the Revision of the By-laws and dated the eighth day of April, A.D., 1907 and hereinafter called the Revised By-laws are hereby enacted as By-laws of this Corporation to come in force and take effect upon the passing of this By-law.

2. A copy of each of the said By-laws shall be signed by the Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk shall attach to each of the said By-laws, so signed, the seal of the City and the same shall be the original By-law and shall be filed by the Clerk as such.

3. Marginal notes and headings in the body of the said Revised By-laws shall form no part of the said By-laws and shall be considered and held to have been inserted for convenience of reference only.

4. All By-laws and parts of By-laws inconsistent with the said Revised By-laws or any provision of the same are hereby repealed: and all By-laws and parts of By-laws consistent with the said revised By-laws are hereby so amended or modified as to conform to the terms of the said Revised By-laws.

5. No repeal or amendment hereby made shall revive any By-laws or parts of By-laws repealed or amended by the By-laws or parts of By-laws which are hereby repealed or amended, nor shall any appeal or amendment hereby made affect any matter or thing anterior thereto, nor any penalty, forfeiture or liability incurred before the time of such repeal or amendment, or any proceedings for enforcing the same had, done, complete or pending at the time of such repeal or amendment.

6. The various provisions in the Revised By-laws corresponding to and substituted for the provisions of the By-laws and parts of the By-laws so repealed, shall, when they are the same in effect as those of the By-laws and parts of By-laws so repealed, be held to operate retrospectively as well as prospectively, and to have been passed upon the days respectively upon which the By-laws and parts of By-laws so repealed came into effect.

7. If upon any point the provisions of the said Revised By-laws are not in effect the same as those of the By-laws and parts of By-laws for which they are submitted, then as respects all transactions, matters and things, subsequent to the time when the

said Revised By-laws take effect, the provisions contained in them shall prevail but as respects all transactions, matters and things anterior to the said time, the provisions of the said repealed By-laws and parts of By-laws shall prevail.

8. This By-law shall come into force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]
W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

Ald. Rigney presented By-law No. 16, 1907.

The By-law was read a first time and, the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole Ald. Millan in the chair: and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY- LAW NO. 16, 1907.

A By-law to levy a rate of 20 mills on the dollar upon the assessed value of the rateable property in the Municipality of the City of Kingston for the lawful purposes of the Municipality for the year 1907.

PASSED.

Whereas for the year 1907 there are required for the lawful purposes of the Municipality of the City of Kingston as hereinafter specified the following named sums of money estimated by and to the Council of the said Municipality to be raised by the levy of the several rates hereinafter mentioned respectively amounting togther to the rate of twenty mills on the dollar upon the assessed value of the rateable property in the said Municipality and which in the revised and adopted assessment rolls for the year 1907 amounts to the sum of $7,949,780 current money of Canada (which rate of 20 mills on the dollar is, in respect of the rateable property in said Municipality liable to be assessed for the Roman Catholic Separate School rate, inclusive of the rate hereinafter directed to be levied upon the rateable property liable thereto, and which said rate of 20 mills in the dollar also includes the rate for the sum required for the Public School purposes for the said year to be levied on the property liable thereto as hereinafter provided).

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. The sum of $22,233.52 required to pay the annual interest and the payment of the principal on the debentures issued under the provisions of "The City of Kingston Debt Arrangement Act 1887, shall be raised by the levy of a rate, "The Debt Arrangement Loan Rate" of Two 80/100 mills in the dollar upon the whole assessable value of all the rateable property in the said Municipality.

2. The sum of $16,978.01 required to pay the annual interest on and the annual payment on account of the loan and bonus debentures and not provided for under Section 1 of this By-law shall be raised by the levy of a rate of Two 13/100 mills in the dollar upon the whole assessed value of all the rateable property in the said Municipality.

3. The sum of $29,265.00 required for Public School Purposes of the said Municipality as estimated to the said Council by the Public School Board of the said Municipality shall be raised by the levy of a rate of Four 40/100 mills in the dollar upon the assessed value of the rateable property in the said Municipality assessable and liable to be rated for a Public School Rate, said assessed value being $6,675.63.

4. The sum of $2,523.50 required to pay the annual interest on and the annual payment on account of the Public School Debentures of the said Municipality, shall be raised by a levy of a rate of 38/100 mills in the dollar upon the said assessed value of the rateable property in the said Municipality assessable and liable to be rated for a Public School rate, said assessed value being $6,675,263 as aforesaid.

5. The sum of $7,338.05 required to pay the annual interest on and provide the annual sum required for the sinking fund for the debentures of the said Municipality issued for the purpose of raising loans for the amount of the costs of the several local improvement works in said Municipality to be borne and paid by the said Municipality at large, shall be raised by the levy of a rate of 92/100 mills in the dollar upon the whole of the said assessed value of all the rateable property in the said Municipality as aforesaid.

6. The sum of $74,465.33 required for the general purposes and expenditure of the said Municipality for the current year, shall be raised by the levy of a rate of nine 37/100 mills in the dollar upon the whole of the assessed value of all the rateable property in the said Municipality as aforesaid.

7. There shall also be levied on the rateable property in the said Municipality liable thereto the assessed value of which amounts to $1,274,517 a rate of Four 78/100 mills in the dollar imposed on the said property by the Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic Separate Schools of the said Municipality for the purposes of the said Separate Schools for the current year and the said last mentioned rate shall be levied and collected by the collector appointed to collect the Municipal rates and taxes of the said Municipality at the time and as provided by law.

8. The said several rate of 2-80/100, 2-13/100, 92/100, 9-37/100 mills in the dollar to be levied upon the whole of the said assessed value of the rateable property in the said Municipality and the said several rates of Four 40/100 mills and 38/100 mills in the dollar to be levied upon the assessed value of all the property in said Municipality assessable and liable to be rated for a Public School rate and the said rate of Four 78/100 mills in the dollar to be levied upon the assessed value of all the property in said Municipality assessable and liable to be rated for the said Roman Catholic Separate School rate (together amounting to 20 mills in the dollar upon the assessed value of the property upon and in respect of which the said several rates are to be levied respectively), shall be levied and collected at one and the same time as provided by law by the Collector appointed to collect the Municipal rates and taxes of the said Municipality.

9. The City Clerk shall prepare and deliver to the said Collector the Collector's Rolls of the said Municipality for the said year and prepared according to law on or before the first day of May, A.D., 1907.

10. This By-law shall come into force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed) J. McD. MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]
W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

MOTIONS.

(12) Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Nickle, that the resignation of Daniel Reeves and John McIntyre, members of the Board of Health, be accepted, and F. King and D. Etherington, M.D., be appointed in their places.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Hanley, (13) that the City Treasurer be given authority to pay the grants to charitable institutions, and salaries as per Budget.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Givens, that Council will now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 11.40 p.m.

City Clerk.

Kingston, April 22, 1907.

The regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Chown, Carson, Couper, Craig, Douglass, Elliott, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, Henderson, Kent, Millan, Nickle, Rigney, Robertson, Ross, Toye.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Graham, seconded by Ald. Couper (1), that the minutes of meetings 8th and 9th instant as printed and as amended be received and adopted. Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

Eliza Munro asking to be relieved from interest on taxes.

BOARD OF WORKS.

H. W. Snelling asking permission to erect more telephone poles.

J. Bastow asking for removal of tree in front of his house at 85 Queen St.

WATER WORKS.

H. Hankin wanting to submit quotation for Cast Iron Water Pipes.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Canadian Electrical News asking for a subscription.

W. J. Crothers asking for cut rate for electric power.

Steacy & Steacy objecting to amount of electric light bill for last quarter.

J. W. Richardson & Sons re the report that the City is working at a loss by furnishing the Street Car Co. with power.

CITY PROPERTY.

J. Taylor, Manager of Bank of B. N. A., enclosing account from W. J. Chapman for repairs to the Bank building.

Thos. H. McGuire asking privilege to take charge of the property known as the Tank Field.

FYLE.

City Auditor giving number of patients in the Hospital, April 20, 1907.

C. J. Graham asking for removal of tree on corner of Union and Division Streets.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Carson (2), that the request of C. J. Graham re the removal of a tree on corner of Union and Division Streets be referred to the Chairman of the Board of Works and the Engineer, with power to act. Carried.

PETITIONS.

BOARD OF WORKS.

G. H. Turpin and others for local improvement drain on Main St.

WATER WORKS.

G. H. Turpin and others for city water on Main St.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

E. W. Mullin and others for a light on the corner of Johnson and Division Streets.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented Report No. 38 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, April 19th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance & Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the taxes on that portion of the building, Cor Princess and Sydenham streets, occupied by the Y.W.C.A. be refunded for the year 1906.

2. That the following accounts be paid:—

Board of Works.

Walter Lamb, cedar posts for Breakwater	$ 63 75
Light Dep't, cedar posts for Breakwater	76 96
Walter Lamb, cedar logs for Breakwater	104 20
K. & P. R.R., carting	6 00
James Mallen, cedar poles for Breakwater	11 50
Booth & Co., coal	1 75
F. Tracey, smithwork	15 46

S. Grimshaw, labor 11 80
S. Grimshaw, labor Breakwater 67 45
Pay List ending April 17th..... 552 06
S. Anglin & Co., lumber, Breakwater..... 27 70

Fire and Light.

John Shibley, horse $225 00
Extra help McKelvey & Birch's fire..... 10 50
The Rudd Harness Co., supplies 3 50
Taylor & Hamilton, supplies 20 01
Selby & Youlden, repairs to steamer 4 05
W. Sands, expenses to Harrowsmith for horse. 2 00
Oldrieve & Horn, duck for cushion..... 6 00
R. E. Wilson, horse hire for steamer..... 26 00
Light Dep't., gas and electric light, March quarter 60 31
Ashley repairs 3 50
Booth & Co., coal 2 tons..... 16 00
V. Daley, extra help to No. 2 station 7 50
Wm. E. Roberts, extra help to No. 1 station.. 20 00
Lighting streets 3 months to March 31st.....2,591 99

City Property.

Imperial Laundry ..... $ 50
S. Grimshaw, partitions in City Buildings 159 00
Robinson Bros., painting & glazing partitions.. 68 00
J. Hamer, repairing scales 10 00
Kingston Coal Co..... 100 80
Light Dep't, gas and electric light, City Hall and Police Station, March quarter 131 17
James Eves, cab hire 50
Mrs. Jos. Smith, scrubbing 10 00
G. R. Tomlinson, contract wiring and fixtures (for City Buildings)..... 199 75
S. Grimshaw, labor 30

Printing and Stationary.

British Whig $145 70
British Whig 9 00

Contingencies.

Dr. J. H. Bell, examination lunatic (Lazier)	$	5 00
J. P. Hanley, pauper passes		8 70
H. S. Folger, pauper passes		1 65
S. A. Hentig, postage, City Engineer		5 00

Miscellaneous.

Thos. McAuley, supplies for City Registrar	$	15 55
Jessie M. Begg, typewriting to April 22nd		16 00
Light Dep't., gas Registry Office, March quarter		2 75
Dominion Government, rent of Tower field		1 00

Board of Health.

McKelvey & Birch, tin pan	$	15
Rudd Harness Co., bag		4 25

Water Works.

Pay List ending March 18th	$	56 58
Pay List ending April 1st		57 30
Pay List ending April 15th		80 61
Buffalo Meter Co., meters etc		33 15
G. T. R., freight on meters		52
G. A. Bateman, entry		25
Dominion Government, duty on meters		9 08
Booth & Co., coal		6 50
T. C. Wilson & Sons, horse hire		19 50
American Water Works Association, dues		3 00

Light, Heat and Power.

Wm. Cockburn, smithwork	$	25 67
K. & P. R.R., tickets, Ottawa to Kingston		6 10
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil		137 93
G. T. R., freight gas oil		55 74
Can. Gen. Elec., Watt Meters		132 54
R. Crawford, wood		1 25
P. G. Wilmot, horse feed		5 75
P. Walsh, lime		2 01
Dominion Government, electric light inspection		25 00

G. A. Wright, smithwork	13 75
John Corbett, brooms	2 85
Queen City Oil Co., cylinder oil	12 02
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., supplies	6 28
Simmon Bros., supplies	2 77
Payne Machinery Exchange Co., springs for engine	14 00
T. C. Wilson & Co., horse hire	11 75
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies	45 27
Wm. Allen, lime	41 99
John Angrove, wire brushes	2 50
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	20 50
R. Crawford, slabs	3 75
F. Tracey, smithwork	4 15
Peter Lowry, horse shoeing	3 00
Alex. Tait, excavating	330 48
K. & P. R.R., freight cedar poles	27 15
W. Lamb, cedar poles	83 70
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps	4 00
Geo. Draper, hay	11 55
Canadian Express Co	1 40
G. T. R., freight	2 15
K. & P. R.R., carting	2 00
Dominion Government, duty on arc lamps	49 93
Pay List ending April 15th	948 28
	$2,037 21

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor and Chairman.
R. E. KENT.
T. J. RIGNEY.
D. A. GIVENS.
R. F. ELLIOTT,
W. G. CRAIG.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Elliott (3), that the Report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted. Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented Report No. 39 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, April 19th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the petitions of C. A. Morrison and Jno. McKay for the removal of trees be referred to the Chairman and City Engineer with power to act.

2. On the application of Alexander Tait for an increase in price for broken stone, that his request be not granted.

3. That the City Engineer be authorized to obtain tenders for a smoke testing machine and to award the contract to the lowest tender. Price not to exceed $27.00.

4. That the City Engineer's suggestion re the future construction of concrete walks be adopted.

5. That the petitions of J. Lovitt and others against street watering on Earl and Ontario streets be not granted.

6. The petition of Messrs. Purtell and Purvis, that their request be not granted.

7. That an application be again made to the Dominion Government to furnish the City with 460 toise broken stone from the Penitentiary quarries for road making purposes.

8. The advisability of putting the streets of the City in good condition and request that a By-law for $75,000 or such further sum as may be decided upon, be submitted to the ratepayers for their approval.

9. Your Committee present herewith a statement verified by oath of the City Engineer, the Inspector appointed to enforce the provisions of Chapter 279 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, entitled, "An Act to prevent the spread of Noxious Weeds and of Diseases affecting Fruit Trees," of the expenses incurred by him in enforcing the provisions of said Act in respect of resident and non-resident lands, and your Committee recommend that the said statement and account be audited and allowed and ordered to be paid from the fund for general pur-

poses of the Municipality, and your Committee further recommend that said sums upon being allowed and paid by the Municipality be, by the City Clerk, placed upon the Collector's rolls of the Municipality against the lands described in the statement of the Inspector and be collected in the same manner as the other taxes imposed by the By-laws of the Municipality.

10. That the tender of Thos. Robertson & Co., be accepted for suppling and delivering wrought iron pipes for the Queen St. Sewer extension at $1.7965 per ft., their tender being the lowest.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JNO. GASKIN, Chairman.
R. E. KENT.
C. J. GRAHAM.
R. F. ELLIOTT.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott (4), that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted. Carried.

Waterworks.

Ald. Carson presented Report No. 40 from the Committee on Water Works as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, April 15th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the petition of William Carroll for an extension of the water service on Frontenac St. between Earl & Union Sts., be granted.

2. That the tender of Selby & Youlden for general castings at 3¾c. per lb., hydrants at $40.00 each, service boxes at $1.50 each and valve boxes at $5.00 each, being the lowest be accepted.

3. That the old Blake pump be sold for the following reasons:—1st, the pump is out of date; 2nd, unsuccessful efforts have been made to sell it as a pump for the past ten years; 3rd, It is not of any further use to the Department; 4th, That tenders for the old Blake pump were advertised for in the regular way and that the tender of C. Goldman of $365.00 being the highest,

be accepted, the money to be paid over before the pump is disturbed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN CARSON, Chairman.
D. COUPER.
W. G. CRAIG.
D. J. MILLAN.
W. F. NICKLE.
T. J. RIGNEY.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Rigney (5), that the report of the Water Works Committee be received and adopted. Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Ross presented Report No. 41 of the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, April 19th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire & Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That David A. Sinclair be appointed mechanical engineer for the Kingston Fire Department.

2. That Calvin Jackson be appointed chimney viewer.

3. That the communication of William Miller which is referred by Council to this Committee be referred to the Committee on Finance & Accounts.

4. That William E. Roberts be appointed to the position of permanent fireman and that he serve on probation for a period of three months.

5. That the five extra lights which have been added, be placed in the following positions:—

1st. Cor. Bagot & Queen Sts.
2nd. Pine St., near Zion Church.
3rd. Frontenac Park.
4th. Cor. St. Lawrence and Stuart Sts.
5th. Cor. Elm and Division Sts.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) A. E. ROSS, Chairman.
C. J. GRAHAM.
W. F. NICKLE.
D. J. MILLAN.
H. ANGROVE.
H. N. ROBERTSON.
L. L. HENDERSON.

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Robertson (6), that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted. Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 42 from the Committee on Light, Heat and Power as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, April 19th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat & Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the account of the Canadian General Electric Company $20.69, be paid.

2. On the communication of E. Hartrick for payment of wages whilst ill, that his request be not granted.

3. That Miss Montgomery be employed in the Treasury Department as stenographer as long as required.

4. On the communication of A. Hanley, that his request be granted on the recommendation of Mr. Campbell and that he be relieved from payment of $10.60 on his gas account.

5. That the employees of the L. H. & P. Department receive 5 per cent. increase of salary with the exception of the following:—the Ass't. Gas Maker, Night helper to the Gas Maker, Gas Main Foreman, the Lineman's Ass't., and the Oiler, as per list submitted by J. M. Campbell, Mgr.

6. That the tender of Selby & Youlden for an Oil Tank be accepted being the lowest. Price $2,375.00.

7. That new customers for gas be charged $1.00 per M. C. Ft. with one meter only.

8. In cases of removal of the extra meter on account of the

reduction in price, that the plumbing in connection with the above be done without cost to the L. H. & P. plant.

9. That, after contracts by tender with this Department are properly signed, the tenderer's checks be returned.

10. That the Chairman of this Committee is hereby authorized to sell the Assay scales at the L. H. & P. station.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.
JNO. GASKIN.
D. COUPER.
G. Y. CHOWN.
T. J. RIGNEY.
H. DOUGLASS.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Rigney (7), that the report of the Committee on Light, Heat and Power be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Hanley, that Clause 5 of the Report of the Committee on Light, Heat and Power be presented again with the list of the employees, with their salaries attached, who are to receive 5 per cent. increase in their salaries. Carried.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Douglass,. seconded by Ald Couper, that Clause 2 of the Report of the Committee on Light, Heat and Power be struck out and that the request of E. Hartrick for payment of wages for five weeks whilst ill be granted. Lost.

The original motion was then carried as amended.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Angrove presented Report No. 43 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, April 18th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets be leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That Clause 1 of the Report No. 61, 1906, of this Committee be amended to read as follows:—

That the charge for storage at the Fair Grounds from 1st May, 1906 be 25c. per month for each vehicle stored. That the caretaker be notified to take account of the rigs stored, and to

notify owners that it would be necessary to present a receipt from City Treasurer as having paid for such storage, before removal of the vehicles.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) W. F. NICKLE, Chairman.
D. COUPER.
R. F. ELLIOTT.
H. DOUGLASS.
C. J. GRAHAM.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Couper (8), that the report of the Committee on City Property be received and adopted. Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Rigney introduced By-law No. 17, 1907.

BY-LAW NO. 17, 1907.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 20, 1906.

Passed

WHEREAS by By-Law No. 20, 1906, adopted by the ratepayers of this Municipality on 31st May, 1906, and passed by the Council on 18th June, 1906, authority is given to the Mayor to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the debentures of this Corporation the sum of $85,000 for the purposes in said By-law set forth:

AND WHEREAS by said By-law it is provided amongst other things that said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum from the date thereof and that for the payment of the said debt and interest to become due thereon an annual sum of $4,916.00 shall be raised by a special rate upon all the rateable property in said Municipality in each year of the period of thirty years, being the period of the currency of the said debentures:

AND WHEREAS the said debentures have not yet been issued, sold or otherwise disposed of:

AND WHEREAS owing to the advance in the rate of interest for money since the time of the passing of the said By-law, the debentures authorized to be issued by said By-law cannot be sold or disposed of except at a discount involving a substantial reduction in the amount required to be provided for and it is expedient to amend the said By-law for the purpose of providing for the payment of an increased rate of interest, to wit, the rate

of four and one-half per cent. per annum on the debt to be created by the issue of said debentures and for levying the amounts or rates necessary to pay such increased rate of interest in lieu of the rate of interest and the amounts or rates to pay the same provided for in the said By-law:

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, subject to the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, as follows:—

1. Section 4 of said By-law No. 20 (1906) is amended by striking out the words "four" in said section and inserting in lieu thereof the words "four and one-half."

2. Section 5 of said By-law No. 20 (1906) is amended by striking out the figures "4,916.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "5,220.00."

3. This By-law shall come in force and take effect upon being approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council as by law provided.

The By-law was read the first time and the 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote, Council went into Committee of the whole, on the second reading, Ald. Robertson in the chair.

Moved by Mayor Mowat, seconded by Ald. Kent, that the Committee of the whole rise and report progress and ask leave to sit again.

Ald. Robertson reported progress and asked leave to sit again. Agreed.

Ald. Gaskin introduced By-law No. 18, 1907.

BY-LAW NO. 18, 1907.

A By-law to raise by way of loan the sum of $12,250.83 for the purpose therein mentioned.

Passed

WHEREAS, the cost of Local Improvement Works as shown in the schedule hereto annexed, to be paid by special assessments on the real property immediately benefited thereby, under and according to the provisions of "The Municipal Act" in that behalf and the By-laws hereinafter mentioned, is, including interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned to the 1st day of July, 1906, $25,738.40, of which cost $13,487.57 is to be provided by the Municipality at large, leaving $12,250.83 to be provided by the levying of a special frontage rate upon the real property immediately benefited by the said improvements and fronting or abutting upon the said streets not exempt from assessment, according to the frontage of the same, and according to

the By-laws authorizing the construction of said works passed by this Council.

AND WHEREAS, the said works were completed before the special assessment was made for said cost in part by means of a temporary loan for the said sum of $12,250.83 raised for that purpose, the remainder being advanced by the Municipality as aforesaid, and for which remainder a loan may also be hereafter raised, as by law provided.

AND WHEREAS, the probable life of the said works is twenty years from the first day of July, 1907, as certified by the City Engineer of the said City.

AND WHEREAS, the amount of the debt which this By-law is intended to create is $12,250.83 for the purpose of repaying the said temporary loan and interest thereon, to be paid by the said assessment as aforesaid, the said debt to be payable in twenty years from the first day of July, 1907.

AND WHEREAS, the total amount required to be raised annually by the special rate as aforesaid for paying the said debt and interest, as herein provided, is $1,007.01.

AND WHEREAS, the value of the whole rateable property of this Municipality according to the last revised Assessment Roll is $7,949,780.

AND WHEREAS, the existing debenture debt of this Municipality is $1,093,660.59 and no part of the principal or interest is in arrear.

AND WHEREAS, the said debt is created on the security of the said special rate as settled by this By-law, and on that security only, but subject to Section 7 hereof.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, the said sum of $12,250.83 and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said City for the purpose above recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required, not less than one hundred dollars each, and not exceeding in the whole the said sum of $12,250.83 and that the said debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and be signed by the said Mayor and countersigned by the said Treasurer.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in twenty years from the first day of July, 1907, at the office of the said Treasurer in the said City, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and shall bear date the day this By-law takes effect, but shall not be issued for two weeks thereafter to allow of the commutation of the said rate hereinafter provided for being made.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum from the 1st day of July, 1907, which interest shall be payable half-yearly on the first day of the months of January and July in each year, at the office of said Treasurer, during the currency of the said debentures.

5. The sum of $551.28 shall be raised annually, as hereinafter mentioned, for the payment of interest on the said debentures during their currency, and the sum of $455.73 shall also be raised annually as aforesaid to form a sinking fund for the payment of the said debt, the said sums making together the annual sum to be raised $1,007.01, and which shall be raised, levied and collected in each year by an equal special frontage rate sufficient therefor, and in addition to all other rates upon the real property hereinafter mentioned liable to the said special rate, and stated, assessed, mentioned and set forth as so liable in the statement containing the same made in that behalf, as the same has been finally revised according to law and filed in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Kingston, under the provisions of the statute in that behalf, during the continuance of said debentures or any of them.

6. The said special rate shall be payable to and collected by the Collector of Taxes of the City of Kingston for the time being in the same manner and with the like remedies as ordinary taxes on real estate are collected under the provisions of the Assessment Act.

7. And it is hereby declared that the said debt so created on the security of the said special rate is further guaranteed by the said Municipality of the City of Kingston at large.

8. Persons whose lands are assessed for the said special rate may commute for the payment of their proportionate shares of the cost of the said improvement as aforesaid by each paying a principal sum according to their frontage respectively as shown in the said statement as finally revised according to law, up to the end of two weeks from and after the day this By-law is to take effect, after which the said debentures shall be issued and no commutation shall be permitted, and the lands of persons commuting shall not be subject to the said special rate, and the amount of the

said debentures shall be reduced by the amount paid as commutation.

9. This By-law shall take effect and come into operation on its passing.

SCHEDULE CONCRETE WALKS, 1906.

	Total Cost.	City's portion of cost.	Amount to be paid by property owners benefited.
By petition:			
Albert St., West side, from Princess St. to south limit of lot No. 652	$ 128 19	$ 92 43	$ 35 76
Bagot St., West side, from Earl St., south to connect with an asphalt walk north of Union St.	425 28	186 33	238 95
Barrie St., East side, from William St. to Johnson St.	252 79	147 02	105 77
Bay St., North side, from Bagot St. to Rideau St.	241 37	115 48	125 89
Brock St., south side, from Clergy St. to 444½ feet east	324 80	224 28	100 52
Chatham St., West side, from Elm St. to Fifth St.	105 42	50 32	55 10
Clergy St., East side, from Princess St. to Queen St.	217 33	155 88	61 45
Corrigan St., North side, from Rideau St. to 160 feet west	115 02	48 82	66 20
Elm St., North side from Chatham St. 65 feet west	40 72	34 19	6 53
Fifth St., South side, from Chatham St. 65 feet east	47 83	37 00	10 83
Frontenac St., West side, from Johnson St. to Brock St.	320 41	142 34	178 07
Quebec St., North side, from Division St. east 180 feet	150 54	64 19	86 35
Wellington St., West side, from Union St. to West St., thence northerly along West St. to Union St.	352 12	236 15	115 97
By two-thirds vote of Council:			

Albert St., East side, from Stuart St. south 86 feet...	58 70	57 06	1 64
Alice St., North side, from Alfred St. to Frontenac St.	112 63	45 05	67 58
Bagot St., West side, from John St. north 219 feet....	154 63	70 52	84 11
Barrack St., South side, from King St. to Ontario St....	293 16	192 92	100 24
Barrack St., North side, from King St. to Wellington St.	250 30	180 98	69 32
Barrie St., East side, from Queen St. to Colborne St..	140 27	66 77	73 50
Charles St., North side, from Rideau St. to Bagot St....	425 79	174 84	250 95
Clergy St., East side, from Princess St. to Brock St...	122 96	57 70	65 26
Division St., East side, from Queen St. to Colborne St..	165 81	104 45	61 36
Earl St., South side, from Bagot St. west 250 feet....	295 33	143 90	151 43
Frontenac St., West side, from Mack St. to Princess St...	520 88	276 05	244 83
Johnson St., North side, from Ontario St. east 129 feet...	124 69	80 68	44 01
King St., West side, from Barrack St. south 183 feet....	163 16	109 60	53 56
King St., West side, from Place D'Armes to Barrack St.....	174 62	79 91	94 71
King St., North side, from Beverly St. west 160 ft. 7 in.	141 87	65 87	76 00
Ordnance St., North side, from Wellington St. to Rideau St....	189 54	84 98	104 56
Place D'Armes, South side, from King St. to Ontario St.	253 36	154 60	98 76
Princess St., South side, from Alfred St. to Victoria St..	1215 30	616 87	598 43
Princess St., South side, from Victoria St. to Regent St..	1231 00	505 36	725 64
Princess St., North side, Victoria St. to a point opposite Regent St.....	1203 66	611 13	592 52
Princess St., North side, from Alfred St. to Nelson St.....	956 51	462 96	493 55

Queen St., South side, from King St. to Ontario St....	296 25	166 81	129 44
St. Lawrence Ave., West side, from Stuart St. south 106 feet	86 51	81 15	5 36
Wellington St., East side, from Queen St. to Princess St.....	307 84	160 12	147 72
Wellington St., West side, from Ordnance St. north 260 feet	189 74	118 89	70 85
Wellington St., East side, from Place D'Armes north 190 feet	155 24	62 10	93 14
By Initiative of Council:			
Bagot St., West side, from Queen St. to Princess St...	267 60	177 18	90 42
Barrack St., South side, from King St. to Wellington St.	279 33	140 54	138 79
Barrie St., East side, from Colborne St. to North St..	190 40	113 40	77 00
Barrie St., West side, from Colborne St. to North St..	150 17	89 40	60 77
Clergy St., West side, from Queen to Colborne St.....	176 93	83 83	93 10
Colborne St., North side, from Clergy St. to Barrie St....	334 94	142 69	192 25
Deacon St., South side, from Barrie St. to Arch St.....	184 54	101 41	83 13
Division St., West side, from Earl St. to Clergy St. W.....	184 72	110 33	74 39
Division St., East side, from Princess St. to Queen St.....	179 25	81 40	97 85
Dufferin St., North side, from Rideau St. to Bagot St....	333 61	138 54	195 07
Earl St., North side, from Division St. to University Ave.	394 60	180 89	213 71
Earl St., South side, from Clergy St. to Barrie St., thence south to Clergy St., thence northerly to Earl St. at starting point	399 98	261 18	138 80
Frontenac St., East side, from Johnson St. to Brock St...	330 58	151 72	178 86
Gore St., South side, from			

Wellington St. to Bagot St.	292 53	150 44	142 09
Johnson St., south side, from Barrie St. to Division street.	333 72	157 04	176 68
Johnson St., North side, from Albert St. to Alfred St....	501 00	275 06	225 94
Johnson St., North side, Bagot St., from Sydenham St....	492 86	492 86	
Johnson St., South side, Frontenac St. to Albert St.	271 37	124 78	146 59
King St., East side, from Place D'Armes to Barrack St..	205 06	91 64	113 42
King St., North side, from Ellerbeck St. 470 feet easterly	371 31	167 39	203 92
King St., North side, from O'Kill St. to University Ave.	420 40	280 13	140 22
King St., North side, from Beverly St. to Collingwood St....	223 63	97 22	126 41
Montreal St., East side, from James St. to John St.....	578 16	245 02	333 14
Montreal St., East side, from North St. to Raglan Road.	354 43	151 61	202 82
North St., South side, from Barrie St. to Ordnance St.	57 48	40 68	16 80
O'Kill St., South side, from Barrie St. to George St....	196 80	101 60	95 20
O'Kill St., East side, from King St. to George St.....	281 54	145 91	135 63
Ordnance St., South side, from North St. to Clergy St.	284 22	122 78	161 44
Ordnance St., South side, from Sydenham St. to Montreal St.....	263 60	108 50	155 10
Princess St., North side, from Division St. easterly 536 feet.	460 27	221 71	238 56
Queen St., South side, from Barrie St. to Chapman St..	272 78	116 88	155 90
Queen St., North side, from King St. to Ontario St....	303 69	232 84	70 85
Queen St., South side, from Clergy St. to Sydenham St.	314 05	131 35	182 70
Raglan Road, West side, from Bagot St. to Montreal St...	175 12	114 98	60 14

Rideau St., West side, from Dufferin St. to Cataraqui St.	459 96	233 94	226 02
St. Lawrence Ave., East side, from Stuart St. to King St.	309 45	189 86	119 59
Stuart St., South side, from St. Lawrence Ave. to Albert St.	240 08	109 58	130 50
Sydenham St., West side, from Ordnance St. to Colborne St.	247 68	116 92	130 76
Sydenham St., East side, from Ordnance St. to Queen St.	428 43	344 71	83 72
University Ave., East side, from Earl St. to Johnson St.	500 32	221 32	279 00
Wellington St., West side, from Gore St. to Union St.	220 39	96 68	123 71
West St., East side, from Sydenham St. south 141 feet	134 88	108 84	26 04
West St., East side, from Earl St. to Sydenham St.	363 60	211 74	151 86
William St., North side, from King St. to Ontario St.	213 62	119 80	93 82
	$25,130 60	$13,343 63	$11,786 97

SCHEDULE TILE SEWERS.

1. Rideau St. from a point 536.5 feet north of Cataraqui St. southerly to connect with a tile sewer in Cataraqui St.	547 15	106 26	440 89
2. King St., starting from a point 78 feet north of Union St. northerly 63 feet	60 65	37 68	22 97
	$607 80	$143 94	$463 86

The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading, Ald. Nickle in the chair.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Givens, that the committee of the whole rise and report progress and ask leave to sit again.

Ald. Nickle reported progress and asked leave to sit again. Agreed.

MOTIONS.

RE WORK OF EXTENDING QUEEN ST. SEWER.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott (9), that the work in connection with the extensions of the Queen St. Sewer be carried out as follows:—

First, the pipe to be laid where under water and the timber wales fixed by contract.

Second, all work on land be done by day labor under the direction of City Engineer. Carried.

RE IMPROVEMENTS AND EXTENSIONS TO L., H. & P. PLANT.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Chown (10), that in the judgment of this Council the improvements and extensions to the plant of the Light Department should be made in such a manner as, without excessive cost, to cause the least possible inconvenience to the public, and so as to obviate the probability of danger, and that, if necessary to conform with this resolution changes be necessary in this work now done, the same be made.

Carried on the following division:

Yeas—Mayor Mowat, Ald. Angrove, Nickle, Chown, Craig, Elliott, Graham, Henderson, Kent, Millan, Rigney, Robertson.—12.

Nays—Ald. Carson, Couper, Douglass, Gaskin, Givens, Hanley, Ross, Toye.—8.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Millan, seconded by Ald. Kent (11), that Council now adjourn. Carried.

Council adjourned at 11 p.m.

City Clerk.

Kingston, April 29th, 1907.

A special meeting of Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship, Mayor Mowat, presiding.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Couper, Craig, Gaskin, Graham, Henderson, Kent, McCann, Millan, Nickle, Rigney, Robertson, Toye.

The Mayor explained that the meeting was called to pass a By-law confirming an agreement between the Corporation of the City of Kingston, and the Stanley Smelting Works, and the Corporation of the City of Kingston and Messrs. Gray and Hadley and to submit the same to the electors of the municipality of the City of Kingston for their approval as by law provided.

Ald. Chown presented By-law No. 19.

BY-LAW NO. 19.

A BY-LAW TO CONFIRM AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE STANLEY SMELTING WORKS ON THE ONE PART AND THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON ON THE OTHER PART.

WHEREAS, The Stanley Smelting Works of the one part and the Corporation of the City of Kingston on the other part have entered into an agreement set forth in Schedule "A" hereto annexed:

AND WHEREAS, it is expedient to pass this By-law confirming the said agreement and to submit the same to the electors of the said Municipality for their approval as by law provided.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. The agreement forming Schedule "A" to this By-law shall be read as incorporated with and forming a part of this By-law and is hereby validated and confirmed.

2. It shall be lawful for this Corporation, for the purposes aforesaid, to grant and convey by a good and sufficient deed to the said The Stanley Smelting Works, but subject as in Schedule "A" hereto annexed, all those the lands described and particularly set forth in said Schedule "A."

3. It shall be lawful for the Council of this Corporation to pass a By-law wholly exempting from Municipal taxation (except School rates and taxes and local improvement taxes and rates) for a period of ten years from 1st January, 1908, the land and premises by said agreement contracted to be conveyed together with the buildings, structures, machinery and plant that may be erected or placed thereon, but the continuance of said exemption shall in said By-law be expressed to be conditional upon the terms of said agreement as to operation for the said period of exemption upon the part of the contractors being strictly observed and performed.

4. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

5. The votes of the duly qualified electors of the said Municipality shall be taken upon this By-law on the 28th day of May, A.D. 1907, commencing at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon and closing at the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day at the following places in the said Municipality and by the following Deputy Returning Officers, namely:—

Sydenham Ward, Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 1 and 2, at 96 William St. T. Jeff. Lovitt, Deputy Returning Officer.

Ontario Ward, Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 3 and 4, at Ontario Hall. John Orr, Deputy Returning Officer.

St. Lawrence Ward Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 5 and 6, at 352 Princess St. Albert E. M. Loscombe, Deputy Returning Officer.

Cataraqui Ward, Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 7 and 8, at 218 Wellington St. James H. Brickwood, Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 9 and 10, at 16 Dufferin St. Robert McFarlane, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward, Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 11, 12, 13, at 289 Princess St. William J. Driver, Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 14, 15, at 58 John St. William Dean, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 16, 17, 21, at 670 Princess St. Andrew C. McMahon, Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 18, 19, 20, at 278 Johnson St. Harry Sharpe, Deputy Returning Officer.

Victoria Ward Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 22, 23, at corner Union and Division Sts. Harry Dunlop, Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 24 and 25, at 63 O'Kill St. Harry Bates, Deputy Returning Officer.

6. On the 22nd day of May, A.D. 1907, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the Mayor of the said City shall attend at the office of the City Clerk in the said City, for the purpose of appointing and shall appoint in writing, signed by him, two persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes given for and against this By-law, and one person to attend at each polling place on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of promoting the passing of this By-law and a like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of opposing the passing of this By-law, which place, day and hour are hereby fixed for the purpose.

7. On the 29th day of May, 1907, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at his Office in the City of Kingston the Clerk of the said Municipality shall attend and sum up the number of votes given for and against the By-law.

SCHEDULE "A."

Articles of Agreement made this 29th day of April, A.D. 1907.

BETWEEN The Stanley Smelting Works hereinafter called the Contractors of the First Part

and

The Corporation of the Ctiy of Kingston, hereinafter called the Corporation of the Second Part.

Witnesseth.

Whereas, in order to encourage the establishment and operation by the Contractors at the Ctiy of Kingston of a lead smelting plant, the Corporation are willing to grant to the Con-

tractors a site as hereinafter described and exemption from taxes for the period of ten years and further to undertake as hereinafter provided,—

And whereas, the Contractors, in consideration of the said grant and undertaking of the Corporation, are willing to establish and operate a lead smelter at the City of Kingston—

Now this Indenture witnesseth, that the said parties hereto covenant, promise, and agree each with the other of them as follows:—

1. The said Contractors shall build, equip, maintain and operate upon the site hereinafter mentioned, in the City of Kingston, a lead smelting plant as herein particularly set forth.

2. The said lead smelting plant shall be modern in design and construction and shall be equipped and furnished with modern and improved machinery and appliances capable of smelting and turning out merchantable lead.

3. The said plant, machinery and appliances shall when constructed be of the value of $40,000 at least, exclusive of the value of the site, and the Corporation by its servants and agents shall have the right at all reasonable times to go upon the said site to examine the plant, machinery and appliances of the Contractors for the purpose of determining whether this term of the agreement has been fulfilled.

4. The Contractors shall commence the erection of their said plant on said site in terms of this agreement within four weeks after a definite assurance shall have been given to the Corporation that the Department of Public Works or other Department of the Dominion Government will procure to be dredged during the year 1907 a channel of at least twelve feet in depth as hereinafter mentioned and the plant shall be fully completed and operating in accordance with the minimum terms and requirements of this agreement within twelve months after commencing the erection as aforesaid: such assurance as to dredging to be given in writing by a responsible Minister of the Crown not later than 1st June, 1907.

5. The Contractors shall after their plant shall have been fully completed as herein provided operate the same and carry

on the business of lead smelters in the City of Kingston on said site in accordance with the following terms and conditions:—

(a) The plant shall be operated so as to employ continuously not less than fifty men in the City of Kingston during at least forty weeks of six days each in each calendar year.

(b) The aggregate pay roll of the workmen so employed in the City of Kingston shall not be less than the sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars per week during the period of operation in each year.

6. In case the plant of the Contractors shall be destroyed or damaged by fire or tempest or otherwise, the same shall be forthwith rebuilt and the terms and conditions of this agreement upon the part of the Contractors shall apply to and bind the Contractors in respect of said plant so rebuilt.

7. The Corporation shall convey to the Contractors by a good and sufficient deed all those certain parcels and tracts of land situate, lying and being in the City of Kingston and being composed of a part of Lot No. 1 on the West side of the Great River Cataraqui and known as town lots Nos. eight, nine and ten on a plan of part of a block of ground laid out on the southeasterly and front parts of the said lot number One by Thomas Fraser Gibbs, D.P.L.S., and lodged with the Registrar of the County of Frontenac, said lots being situate on the East side of Orchard Street, but subject to a right of way twenty feet wide from the south limit of the lands hereby conveyed to the marsh, but the said deed shall contain a proviso that the grant of said lands shall be defeasable upon the failure of the Contractors to do, observe and perform each and all of the terms, conditions and stipulations herein on the part of the Contractors contained and that upon such failure at any time the said lands shall revert to the Corporation and thereupon the Corporation shall have, hold, possess and enjoy the said lands as of their former title and estate. Provided that at any time during the period of ten years after the Contractors begin to operate the said plant in terms of this agreement the Contractors shall be entitled to purchase the said lands for the price or sum of Three Thousand

Dollars cash and to obtain an indefeasable grant in fee simple to said lands, and in case the Contractors shall operate the said plant continuously for a period of ten years in accordance with the minimum terms and requirements of this agreement the Contractors shall be entitled without payment of any purchase money to obtain an indefeasable grant in fee simple of the said lands.

8. The Corporation shall further pass a By-law wholly exempting from Municipal taxation (except school rates and taxes and local improvement taxes and rates) for a period of ten years from the 1st January, 1908, the lands and premises hereby agreed to be conveyed to the Contractors and the buildings, structures, machinery and plant that may be erected or placed thereon.

9. The Corporation shall by all lawful means endeavor to procure the Government of the Dominion of Canada to dredge a channel of at least twelve feet in depth and of a sufficient width from the dock or pier to be erected at and opposite the said lands to the navigable waters of the Great Cataraqui River.

10. The Corporation shall consent to the laying down of a single track railway siding across Cataraqui Street and along Orchard Street to the lands hereby agreed to be conveyed to the Contractors but subject to such terms and conditions as the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada or other proper authority in the premises shall prescribe, but the application to said Board for permission to lay down such railway siding as aforesaid, shall be made by and at the sole cost and charge of the Contractors.

11. The Corporation shall, by its Council as soon as may be, procure to be submitted to the electors of the Municipality of the City of Kingston under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf, a By-law authorizing the granting of the said lands and exemption as hereinbefore provided; and in case the said By-law receives the assent of the electors, the Corporation shall, by its Council, pass the same and authorize and direct the Mayor to sign and seal the same.

12. In case the said By-law shall, on such submission, fail

to receive the assent of the electors, as required by the Municipal Act, then this agreement and said By-law shall be null and void.

13. The Contractors shall concurrently with the execution and delivery by them of this agreement deposit with the execution and delivery by them of this agreement, deposit with the City Treasurer of the Corporation, the sum of $300, and the Corporation shall thereout reimburse themselves all expenses necessarily incurred in and about the submission of the said By-law to the electors, in case after the passage of the same by the Council of the Corporation the Contractors shall fail to perform the provisions of this agreement on their part, but the said deposit shall be repaid to the Contractors upon the Ctiy Engineer certifying to the Council of the Corporation that the Contractors have expended $5,000 upon the said plant or upon the Clerk of the Corporation certifying that the said By-law has upon its submission to the electors as aforesaid failed to receive the assent of that proportion of all the qualified ratepayers necessary to render the said By-law valid, or in case the Corporation shall not on or before 1st June, 1907, have received a definite assurance in writing from a responsible Minister of the Crown as aforesaid that a channel shall be dredged as herein provided.

14. The Contractors shall in the month of January in each year, during the currency of the exemption of taxation hereby agreed to be given, file with the City Clerk of the Corporation a statement under oath showing:—

(a) The number of men employed in the City of Kingston in and about the said plant during the then previous calendar year and the average number of working days during each of said men was so employed.

(b) The money disbursed and paid out by the Contractors in wages in the City of Kingston to workmen employed in and about said plant during the then previous calendar year.

15. The Contractors shall be exonerated from compliance with the terms of sub-clauses (a) and (b) of clause 5 in case

the said plant shall be obliged to cease work and shut down owing to strikes, flooding of mines or a break-down of machinery.

16. If the Corporation shall so desire, the City Auditor shall be permitted by the Contractors to have access to the books of account of the Contractors for the purpose of verifying the correctness of the statements in the foregoing clause 14 mentioned.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have executed this instrument, the Contractors by affixing their seal and the signature of their General Manager, and the Corporation by affixing their seal and the signature of the Mayor.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of D. M. McIntyre.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, [L.S.]
Mayor.

THE STANLEY SMELTING WORKS,
ROBT. E. CUSHMAN, [L.S.]
Sec'y-Treas., Gen. Mgr.

The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended, a second time, the second reading being in committee of the whole, Ald. Rigney in the chair.

Ald. Craig presented By-law No. 20.

BP-LAW NO. 20.

A By-law to confirm an agreement between John Grey and William Wright-Hadley on the one part and the Corporation of the City of Kingston on the other part.

Whereas John Grey and William Wright-Hadley of the one part and the Corporation of the City of Kingston on the other part, have entered into the agreement set forth in Schedule "A" hereto annexed.

And whereas it is expedient to pass this By-law confirming the said agreement and to submit the same to the electors of the said Municipality for their approval as by law provided:

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. The agreement forming Schedule "A" to this By-law shall be read as incorporated with and forming a part of this By-law and is hereby validated and confirmed.

2. It shall be lawful for the Corporation, for the purposes aforesaid, to grant and convey by a good and sufficient deed to the said John Grey and William Wright-Hadley or to a Company to be incorporated by them but subject as in Schedule "A" hereto annexed all those the lands described and particularly set forth in said Schedule "A."

3. It shall be lawful for the Council of this Corporation to pass a By-law wholly exempting from Municipal taxation (except School rates and taxes and local improvement taxes and rates) for a period of ten years from 1st day of January, 1908, the land and premises by said agreement contracted to be conveyed together with the buildings, structures, machinery and plant that may be erected or placed thereon, but the continuance of said exemption shall in said By-law be expressed to be conditional upon the terms of said agreement as to operation for the said period of exemption upon the part of the contractors being strictly observed and performed.

4. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

5. The votes of the duly qualified electors of the said Municipality shall be taken upon this By-law on the 28th day of May, A.D. 1907, commencing at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon and closing at the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day at the following places in the said Municipality and by the following Deputy Returning Officers, namely:

Sydenham Ward, Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 1 and 2. At 96 William street—Thomas Jeff Lovitt, Deputy Returning Officer.

Ontario Ward, Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 3 and 4. At Ontario Hall—John Orr, Deputy Returning Officer.

St. Lawrence Ward, Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 5 and 6.

At 352 Princess street—Albert E. M. Loscombe, Deputy Returning Officer.

Cataraqui Ward, Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 7 and 8. At 218 Wellington street—James H. Brickwood, Deputy Returning Officer. Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 9 and 10. At 16 Dufferin street—Robert McFarlane, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward, Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 11, 12, and 13. At 289 Princess street—William J. Driver, Deputy Returning Officer. Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 14 and 15. At 58 John street—William Dean, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward, Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 16, 17 and 21. At 670 Princess street—Andrew C. McMahon, Deputy Returning Officer. Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 18, 19 and 20. At 278 Johnson street—Harry Sharpe, Deputy Returning Officer.

Victoria Ward, Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 22 and 23. At corner Union and Division streets—Harry Dunlop, Deputy Returning Officer. Polling Sub-divisions Nos. 24 and 25. At 63 O'Kill street—Harry Bates, Deputy Returning Officer.

6. On the 22nd day of May, A.D., 1907, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon the Mayor of the said City shall attend at the office of the City Clerk in the said City, for the purpose of appointing and shall appoint in writing, signed by him, two persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes given for and against this By-law, and one person to attend at each polling place on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of promoting the passing of this By-law and a like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of opposing the passing of this By-law, which place, day and hour are hereby fixed for the purpose.

7. On the 29th day of May, 1907, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at his office in the City of Kingston, the Clerk of the said Municipality shall attend and sum up the number of votes given for and against the By-law.

SCHEDCLE "A."

Articles of Agreement made this 29th day of April, A.D., 1907, between John Grey, of the City of Guelph, in the Province of Ontario, Works Manager, and William Wright-Hadley, of said City of Guelph, Manager, hereinafter called the Contractors, of the First Part, and the Corporation of the City of Kingston, hereinafter called the Corporation of the Second Part.

Witnesseth.

Whereas in order to encourage the establishment and operation by the Contractors at the City of Kingston of a zinc Smelting Plant, the Corporation is willing to grant to the Contractors a site as hereinafter described and exemption from taxes for the period of ten years and further to undertake as hereinafter provided:

And whereas the Contractors, in consideration of the said grant and undertaking of the Corporation, are willing to establish and operate a zinc smelter at the City of Kingston.

Now this Indenture witnesseth—that the said parties hereto covenant, promise and agree each with the other of them as follows:

1. The said Contractors shall build, equip, maintain and operate upon the site hereinafter mentioned, in the City of Kingston, a zinc smelting plant as herein particularly set forth.

2. The said zinc smelting plant shall be modern in design and construction, and shall be equipped and furnished with modern and improved machinery and appliances capable of smelting and turning out merchantable zinc.

3. The said plant, machinery and appliances shall when constructed be of the value of $100,000 at least, exclusive of the value of the site, and the Corporation by its servants and agents shall have the right at all reasonable times to go upon the said site to examine the plant, machinery and appliances of the Contractors for the purpose of determining whether this term of the agreement has been fulfilled.

4. The Contractors shall commence the erection of their

said plant on said site in terms of this agreement within four weeks after a definite assurance shall have been given to the Corporation that the Department of Public Works or other Department of the Dominion Government will procure to be dredged during the year 1907 a channel of at least twelve feet in depth as hereinafter mentioned, and the plant shall be fully completed and operating in accordance with the minimum terms and requirements of this agreement within twelve months after commencing the erection as aforesaid; such assurance as to dredging to be given in writing by a responsible Minister of the Crown not later than 1st June, 1907.

5. The Contractors shall after their plant shall have been fully completed as herein provided, operate the same and carry on the business of zinc smelters in the City of Kingston on said site in accordance with the following terms and conditions:

(a) The plant shall be operated so as to employ continuausly not less than fifty men in the City of Kingston during at least forty weeks of six days each in each calendar year.

(b) The aggregate pay roll of the workmen so employed in the City of Kingston shall not be less than the sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars per week during the period of operation in each year.

6. In case the plant of the Contractors shall be destroyed or damaged by fire or tempest or otherwise, the same shall be forthwith rebuilt, and the terms and conditions of this agreement upon the part of the Contractors shall apply to and bind the Contractors in respect of said plant so rebuilt.

7. The Corporation shall convey to the Contractors, or to a company to be incorporated by them by a good and sufficient deed all those certain parcels and tracts of land situate, lying and being in the City of Kingston and being composed of a part of Lot No. 1 on the west side of the Great River Cataraqui and known as town lots numbers five, six and seven on a plan of part of a block of ground laid out on the southeasterly and front part of the said lot, one by Thomas Fraser Gibbs, D.P.L. S., and lodged with the Registrar of the County of Frontenac, said lots being situated on the east side of Orchard street, to-

gether with the water lot opposite said lot No. Seven; together with all that portion of River street situate east of the east limit of Orchard street; together with a right of way twenty feet wide across lots eight, nine and ten to the marsh, but the said deed shall contain a proviso that the grant of said lands shall be defeasable upon the failure of the contractors to do, observe and perform each and all the terms, conditions, and stipulations herein on the part of the Contractors contained and that upon such failure at any time the said lands shall revert to the Corporation and thereupon the Corporation shall have, hold, possess and enjoy the said lands as of their former title and estate. Provided that at any time during the period of ten years after the contractors begin to operate the said plant in terms of this agreement the Contractors shall be entitled to purchase the said lands for the price or sum of Three Thousand Dollars cash and to obtain an indefeasable grant in fee simple to said lands and in case the Contractors shall operate the said plant continuously for a period of ten years in accordance with the minimum terms and requirements of this agreement the Contractors shall be entitled, without payment of any purchase money, to obtain an indefeasable grant in fee simple of the said lands.

8. The Corporation shall further pass a By-law wholly exempting from Municipal taxation (except School rates and taxes and local improvement taxes and rates) for a period of ten years from 1st January, 1908, the lands and premises hereby agreed to be conveyed to the Contractors and the buildings, structures, machinery and plant that may be erected or placed thereon.

9. The Corporation shall by all lawful means endeavor to procure the Government of the Dominion of Canada to dredge a channel of at least twelve feet in depth and of a sufficient width from the dock or pier to be erected at and opposite the said lands to the navigable waters of the Great Cataraqui River.

10. The Corporation shall consent to the laying down of a single track railway siding across Cataraqui street and along Orchard street to the lands hereby agreed to be conveyed to the Contractors but subject to such terms and conditions as the

Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada or other proper authority in the premises shall prescribe, but the application to said Board for permission to lay down such railway siding as aforesaid, shall be made by and at the sole cost and charge of the Contractors.

11. The Corporation shall, by its Council, as soon as may be, procured to be submitted to the electors of the Municipality of the City of Kingston under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf, a By-law authorizing the granting of the said lands and exemptions as hereinbefore provided; and in case the said By-law receives the assent of the electors, the Corporation shall, by its Council, pass the same and authorize the direct the Mayor to sign and seal the same.

12. In case the said By-law shall, on such submission, fail to receive the assent of the electors, as required by the Municipal Act, then this agreement and said By-law shall be null and void.

13. The Contractors shall concurrently with the execution and delivery by them of this agreement deposit with the City Treasurer of the Corporation, the sum of $300, and the Corporation shall thereon reimburse themselves all expenses necessarily incurred in and about the submission of the said By-law to the electors, in case after the passage of the same by the Council of the Corporation the Contractors shall fail to perform the provisions of this agreement on their part but the said deposit shall be repaid to the Contractors upon the City Engineer certifying to the Council of the Corporation that the Contractors have expended $5,000 upon the said plant or upon the Clerk of the Corporation certifying that the said By-law has upon its submission to the electors as aforesaid failed to receive the assent of that proportion of all the qualified rate-payers necessary to render the said By-law valid, or in case the Corporation shall not on or before 1st June, 1907, have received a definite assurance in writing from a responsible Minister of the Crown as aforesaid that a channel shall be dredged as herein provided.

14. The Contractors shall in the month of January in each year, during the currency of the exemption of taxation hereby

agreed to be given, fyle with the City Clerk of the Corporation a statement under oath showing:

(a) the number of men employed in the City of Kingston in and about the said plant during the then previous calendar year and the average number of working days during which each of said men was so employed.

(b) the money disbursed and paid out by the Contractors in wages in the Ctiy of Kingston to workmen employed in and about said plant during the then previous calendar year.

15. The Contractors shall be exonerated from compliance with the terms of sub-clause (a) and (b) of Clause 5 in case the said plant shall be obliged to cease work and shut down owing to strikes, flooding of mines or a breakdown of machinery.

16. If the Corporation shall so desire, the City Auditor shall be permitted by the Contractors to have access to the books of account of the Contractors for the purpose of verifying the correctness of the statements in the foregoing clause 14 mentioned.

17. In case the Contractors procure a Company to be incorporated and the conveyance of said lands to be made to said Company, then said Company shall be entitled to all the benefits and advantages, rights and privileges hereby conferred upon the Contractors and the said Company shall enter into a contract with the Corporation assuming, convenanting and undertaking to do and perform all the acts, deeds and things herein on the part of the Contractors covenanted and agreed by the said Contractors to be done and performed.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have executed this instrument, the Contractors by affixing their hands and seals and the Corporation by affixing their seal and the signature of the Mayor.

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of D. M. McIntyre,

J. McDONALD MOWAT, [L.S.]

JOHN GREY, [L.S.]

W. W. HADLEY, [L.S.]

The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended a second time, the second reading being in committee of the whole, Ald. Ross in the chair.

MOTION.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Chown, (1), that the City Solicitor be authorized to take the necessary steps to close River Street.—Carried.

Kingston May 6th, 1907.

The regular meeting of Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present:—Ald. Carson, Chown, Couper, Elliott, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, Kent, McCann, Nickle, Rigney, Robertson, Ross, Toye.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. McCann (1), that the minutes of Council for April 22nd, 1907 as printed be received and adopted as amended.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

City officials asking Council to puchase a Burroughs Adding Machine.

G. Y. Chown, asking to have taxes remitted on property belonging to Queen's University on Stuart St.

BOARD OF WORKS.

W. Turkington asking permission to remove a building from Barrie to Patrick St.

WATERWORKS.

City officials asking Council to purchase a Burroughs Adding Machine.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

The Imperial Guarantee & Accident Insurance Co., submitting a tender for accident insurance.

CITY PROPERTY.

W. C. Martin, Secretary Victoria Day Celebration Committee, asking permission to use the track at the Fair Grounds for training horses.

W. C. Martin, Secretary Victoria Day Celebration Committee, asking for the use of the Fair Grounds on Friday, May 24th.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

City officials asking Council to purchase a Burroughs Adding Machine.

Local Board of Health asking Council to build a tile sewer on Rideau St. for sanitary purposes on the Local Improvement plan.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott (2), that owing to the unsanitary condition of certain properties on Rideau St., that the sewer as recommended by the Board of Health be constructed at once and that the construction By-law be passed at the next meeting of the Council.—Carried.

R. Meek, Secretary Board of Directors of the House of Industry, re the arrangement between the County and City regarding the County's poor.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Chown, that the communication of R. Meek be referred to the Directors of the House of Industry to report to Council any approved plans before the same are finally adopted.—Carried.

PETITIONS.

BOARD OF WORKS.

H. W. Newman and others asking for street watering on King St. between Collingwood and Beverly Sts.

Thos. Copley and others asking for a concrete sidewalk on the north side of Pine St. from Patrick to Division St.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

John D. Boyd and others for the placing of the light on Pine St.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. McCann presented report No. 44 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Committee Room, May 3, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the By-laws to raise certain sums for Local Improvement purposes be passed by the Council and that the debenture rate of interest be 4½ per cent. per annum.

2. That, on the advice of the City Solicitor, the City Registrar be paid the sum of $950 as per order of Don. Guthrie, Inspector of Registry offices, for dividing Lot 24 into blocks for abstract purposes and preparing abstract indexes in respect of such blocks.

3. That the following accounts be paid:

BOARD OF WORKS.

John Kelly, smithwork (breakwater)	$ 1 25
Frontenac Lumber Co., Lumber	58 89
Canadian Express Co.	50
Pay List, ending May 1st	947 60
Alex. Tait, Broken Stone	296 39
Frontenac Lumber Co., Lumber	68 67
S. Grimshaw, Labor (breakwater)	18 20
W. Cockburn, smithwork	46 62

FIRE AND LIGHT.

G. T. R., Freight	1 01
Geo. Sears, Supplies	2 80
P. G. Wilmot, Horse Feed	2 85
W. P. Peters, Oats No. 2 Station	17 40
Crumley Bros., Carpet, No. 2 Station	1 60
H. Wade, Horse Medicine, No. 2 Station	2 00
W. P. Peters, Oats and Bran, No. 2 Station	18 00
J. A. McFarlane, Oats and Bran, No. 1 Station	17 40
Peter Lowery, Smithwork and Horseshoeing	13 88
Shaies & Taugher, Horseshoeing	4 68
Northern Elec. Mfg. Co., Zincs and Wire	19 63
W. P. Peters, Hay, No. 2 Station	14 38
A. Strachan, Supplies	13 51
John McKee, extra help Folger fire	75
W. Bennet, extra help, Folger fire	75
W. Gilmore, repairs to hose wagon	40 50
W. P. Peters, Hay, No. 1 Station	13 80

PARKS.

Pay List, ending May 1st	25 33
Geo. Adsit, Trees	12 00

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

Kingston News	4 00
British Whig, Rubber Stamp for Auditor	1 25

CONTINGENCIES.

S. A. Hentig, Postage Stamps (Treasurer)	5 00
C. P. R. Telegraph Co., Telegram, City Solicitor	57

MISCELLANEOUS.

Jessie M. Begg, Typewriting to May 6th	8 00

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Canadian Meter Co., Couplings	44 44
Imperial Chemical Co., Gasoline	6 00
K. & P. R.R., Freight on Generator	12 46
Queen City Oil Co., Atlantic Oil	9 15
Canadian Oil Co., Paint and Plumbago	11 45
Canadian Asbestos Co., Packing	14 17
McKelvey & Birch, Supplies	80 95
James Mallen, Coal Screenings	15 49
S. Anglin & Co., Sash	50
K. & P. and C. P. R., Hauling Machinery	10 00
Henry Skinner & Co., Rubber Tubing	88
Alex. Tait, excavating for gas holder	155 52
Dominion Government, Meter Inspection	57 25
G. T. R., Freight (5 bills)	7 21
Canadian Express Co., 2 bills	85
Canadian Gen. Elec. Co., Generator and Apparatus ($9,290.00, 50 per cent. of same)	4645 00
Canadian Express Co.	30
S. A. Hentig, Postage Stamps	4 00
R. E. T. Pringle & Co., Tape	7 45
Pay List, ending April 30th	1079 33

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,

Mayor and Chairman.

J. S. R. McCANN.

D. A. GIVENS.

R. E. KENT.

R. F. ELLIOTT.

Moved by Ald. McCann, seconded by Ald. Elliot (3), that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 45 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Committee Room, May 3, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the communication of J. Bastow for the removal of a tree on Queen Street be referred to the Engineer and Chairman, with power to act.

2. That the walk on Division Street from Russell Street north be repaired with the material obtained from old walks which are to be replaced by concrete, and that the planking from the King Street Breakwater be used in connection with this work.

3. That the Engineer be authorized to obtain tenders for the necessary 4 in. cast iron pipe and fittings in connection with the Queen Street Sewer extensions, and that the Chairman and Engineer be authorized to award the contract to the lowest tenderer.

4. That the Mayor, Ald. Elliott and the City Engineer proceed to Ottawa immediately for the purpose of presenting the petition to the Deparment of Justice asking for cancelling of the K. & P. lease of the made lands and the water lots as shown on the plan prepared by the City Engineer and the granting of said parts to the made land and water lots.

5. That the tender of S. Grimshaw for plank walks and crossings be accepted.

6. That, in the opinion of the members of Council assembled in regular meeting, expressed by a two-thirds vote of the members present, it is desirable in the public interests that concrete sidewalks should be constructed on the streets or parts of streets in the City of Kingston severally set forth in the Schedule, hereto annexed, as Local Improvements under the provisions of the Municipal Act, and that 60 per cent. of the cost of the same be assessed against the assessable property abutting thereon, viz., Queen St., South Side of Wellington to King, 5 ft. walk. Albert St., West side of Mark St. northerly 71¾ ft., 5 ft. walk. King St., West side Queen St. to Princess, 6 ft. walk. Arch St., east side Deacon to Stuart St., 5 ft. 0 in. walk.

7. That the report and estimates of the City Engineer for the permanent walks as contained in the accompanying schedule be adopted and that the City take the initiative and advertise their intention to construct the same under the Local Improvement Act.

CONCRETE SIDEWALKS ON THE FOLLOWING STREETS :—

No., Name of Streets, Side, From, to	Width of Walks.	Estimated Total Cost.	Estimated Portion of Cost to be provided by the Municipality.
1—Albert St., E., Union to Earl St.	4ft. 6in.	$745 20	$306 18
2—Bagot St., E., Johnson St. northerly 44 feet	5 0	44 00	40 85
3—Bagot St., E., William St. to Johnson St,	5 0		296 00
4—Bagot St., E., William St. to Earl St.	5 0	301 00	144 00
5—Bagot St., W., Queen St., northerly 61 feet	5 0	73 00	36 40
6—Bagot St., W., Bay to Ordnance St.	5 0	335 25	163 50
7—Bagot St., W., Bay St. to North St	5 0	276 00	150 00
8—Beverly St., E., King St. northerly to limit of lot 20	5 0	776 00	314 00
9—Brock St., S., Clergy St. to Barrie t.	5 0	414 00	252 00
10—Cataraqui St., N., Orchard St. westerly 183 ft.	4 0	152 00	64 16
11—Charles St., S., Bagot St. to Montreal St.	4 6	194 40	113 80
12—Cherry St., W., Quebec St. to Pine St.	4 0	184 00	84 16
13—Cherry St., E., Pine St. to Quebec St.	4 0	190 60	91 24
14—Colborne St., S., Barrie St. to Chapman St.	5 0	412 00	175 60
15—Colborne St., S., Clergy St., to Barrie St.	5 0	412 00	221 20
16—Concession St., S., Division St., Westerly 265 ft. west of Lansdowne St.	4 0	430 40	193 76
17—Division St., E., Brock St. to Princess St.	5 0	402 00	186 60
18—Division St., E., Pine St. northerly 697 feet	4 0	584 00	249 44
19—Division St., W., York St. to Sixth St.	5 0	258 00	108 60
20—Division St. W., York to Pine St.	5 0	410 00	177 20
21—Earl St., S., Albert St. to Frontenac St.	5 0	344 00	242 30
22—Earl St., S., Division St. westerly 458¾ ft.	4 0	410 00	189 80
23—Garrett St., N., Division St. westerly 136 ft	4 0	116 80	51 52
24—Gore St., N., Ontario St. to King St.	5 0	277 00	140 20
25—Hickson Ave., N., 33 feet east of the easterly limit of lot 4, westerly to the K. & P. R.	4 0	828 80	350 72
26—James St., N., Montreal St. to Patrick St.	4 0	440 00	185 12
27—Johnson St., N., Wellington St. to Bagot St.	5 0	332 25	156 90
28—Johnson St., N., Ontario St. westerly 194¾ feet	5 0	223 75	105 10
29—Johnson St., S., Wellington St. to Bagot St.	5 0	382 00	312 40
30—Johnson St., S., King St. to Wellington St.	5 0	334 75	193 90
31—King St., E., Barrack to King St.	5 0	270 75	231 00
32—Markland St., S., Montreal St. westerly 347 ft.	4 0	291 20	124 64
33—Montreal St., W., James St. to Stephen St.	5 0	760 00	527 80
34—Montreal St., W., Russell St., northerly 668 ft. north of K. & P. R.	4 0	1,334 40	645 12
35—Montreal St., E., Rideau St., northerly 976 ft	4 6	882 00	390 60
36—Montreal St., W., Princess St. to Brock St.	6 0	334 80	186 48
37—Montreal St., W., Queen St. northerly 197½	5 0	197 50	106 60
38—Mack St., N., Nelson St., to Albert St.	4 0	236 00	135 20
39—Main St., W., Colborne St. to Ann St.	4 6	350 10	174 06
40—Main St., S., Division St., easterly 159 feet	4 0	316 80	144 48
41—Nelson St., W., Princess St., northerly 509½ feet	5 0	517 00	211 30
42—Ontario St., W., West St. to Union t.	5 0	570 00	247 80
43—Ontario St., W., Brock St. to Princess St.	6 0	319 20	202 55
44—Ontario St., E., Queen St. to Barrack St.	5 0	265 75	112 30
45—Orchaed St., W., Cataraqui St. northerly 293½ feet	5 0	193 50	142 60

46—Ordnance St., S., Clergy St., to Sydenham St.	5	0	425 00	203 15
47—Patrick St., E., John St. to Charles St.	4	0	292 00	131 20
48—Patrick St., W., Pine St. to Quebec St.	4	0	180 80	79 04
49—Princess St., S., Ontario to King St.	6	0	406 80	199 44
50—Quebec St., S., Division St. to Patrick St.	4	0	936 00	411 36
51—Raglan Road, N., Patrick St. to Montreal St.	4	0	684 80	288 32
52—Raglan Road, N., York St. to Barrie St.	4	0	340 80	150 72
53—Raglan Road, S., Barrie St. to Patrick St,	4	0	260 00	119 36
54—Redan St., E., Balaclava St. northerly 219 ft.	4	0	210 40	105 28
55—Rideau St., W., Cataraqui St. northerly 655½ feet	4	0	534 00	219 36
56—Stanley St., N., Division St. to Lansdowne	4	0	290 40	125 04
57—Sydenham St., E., Raglan Road to Bay St.	4	0	387 20	181 76
58—Stuart St., N., University Avenue westerly 607½ feet	5	0	610 50	275 40
59—Union St., S., King St. westerly 190 feet	5	0	199 00	85 00
60—Union St., S., University Ave. to Alfred St.	5	0	382 50	201 90
61—Victoria St., W., Princess St., southerly 652 feet south of Park St.	4	0	956 00	432 80
62—Vine St., E., Ellice St. to Ann St.	4	0	196 00	90 40
63—Vine St., W., Ellice St. to Raglan Rd.	4	0	299 20	129 28
64—West St., S., King St. easterly 122 feet	4	0	97 60	70 72
65—William St., N., Ontario St., easterly 62 feet	5	0	75 00	37 80
66—William St., N., Bagot St., easterly 245 feet	5	0	245 00	140 30
67—York St., N., Alma St. to Barrie St.	4	0	142 40	69 92
68—York St., S., Raglan Rd. easterly 17 feet	4	0	160 00	70 24
69—York St., S., Raglan Rd. westerly 532 feet	4	0	416 00	166 40
70—York St., N., Division St. to Cherry St.	4	0	310 40	139 64
71—York St., W., Division St. to Chatham St.	4	0	485 60	229 76

8. That the Committee be authorized to ask for tenders for 2 sets of spare gears, for the steam roller, consisting of 4 segments and 2 steel pinions, and that the Chairman, and City Engineer be authorized to award the contract to the lowest tenderer.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, Chairman.
J. S. R. McCANN.
R. E. KENT.
C. J. GRAHAM.
R. F. ELLIOTT.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott (4), that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Ross presented report No. 46 from the Committee on Fire & Light as follows:—

Committee Room, May 3, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the petition of E. W. Mullin and others for a light corner of

Johnson and Division Streets be not granted on account of not having any funds at present for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) A. E. ROSS, Chairman.

H. N. ROBERTSON.

W. F. NICKLE.

C. J. GRAHAM.

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Robertson (5), that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 47 from the Committee on Light, Heat & Power as follows:

Committee Room, May 2, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the following employees at the Light, Heat and Power Plant receive an increase of 5 per cent. on the amount of salary shown in Schedule, as follows:—

PRESENT WAGE SCHEDULE.

No.	Name.	Position.	Rate per hr.	Rate per day.	Hours per day
1.	John L. Orr	Gas Maker	21½	$2 15	10
2.	Thos. Purdy	Day Helper	15	1 50	10
3.	L. Joyce	Purifier	15	1 50	10
4.	Jno. McKee	Purifier's Helper	15	1 50	10
5.	P. Dougherty	Carter	15	1 50	10
6.	Jno. Gallivan	2nd Engineer	21½	2 15	10
7.	Wm. Handley	3rd Engineer	18½	1 85	10
8.	F. Nancarrow	Fireman	15	1 50	10
9.	Wm. Perry	Fireman	15	1 50	10
10.	Wilson Bearance	Fireman	15	1 50	10
11.	J. Forsythe	Gas Fitter	27	2 43	9
12.	Thos. Moore	Gas Meterman	25	2 25	9
13.	Ed. Lefebvre	Line Foreman	27 7-9	2 50	9
14.	Jno. McCutcheon	Lamp Trimmer	15	1 50	10
15.	Jas. Braddon	Lamp Trimmer	15	1 50	10
16.	Ed. Hartrick	Elect. Meterman	25	2 25	9
17.	F. Murray	Storekeeper	19½	1 75	9

2. That a new starter be purchased from the Cutler Hammer Mfg. Co. at a cost of $70.00.

3. That the report of J. M. Campbell, as follows, be adopted as a basis for proposed extension of gas mains:—

April 30, 1907.

To the Chairman and Members of the Light, Heat and Power Committee:

Gentlemen,—Referring to your inquiry in reference to some plan in regard to proposed extensions of gas mains.

I have looked carefully into this matter and consider that the proper way would be to canvass the street on which it is proposed to run the main and find out how many prospective customers can be obtained.

We find that the average gross income from each customer amounts to about twelve dollars per year for ordinary sized residences.

The total cost of making the gas and distributing it amounts to approximately 60 per cent. of the gross income, leaving 40 per cent. available for interest debentures, and general expenses.

On this basis providing we obtained twenty-five (25) customers on any one street our gross income would be approximately $300, leaving available for general expenses interest and debentures, $120 at 6 per cent., this would pay interest on $2,000. This $2,000 would lay 2,500 feet of 4-in. gas main so that it would be necessary to obtain one customer for every 100 feet of 4 in. pipe laid.

Yours truly,
J. M. CAMPBELL.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.
G. Y. CHOWN.
D. COUPER.
JOHN GASKIN.
D. A. GIVENS.
T. J. RIGNEY.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Givens (7), that the report of the Committee on Light, Heat & Power be received and adopted.—Carried.

Parks.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 48 from the Committee on Parks as follows:—

Committee Room, May 4, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Parks beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Committee be authorized to call for tenders for the necessary painting of band stands, etc., and that the Chairman be authorized to award the contracts to the lowest tenderer.

2. That the Chairman be authorized to purchase supplies, materials, etc., used by this Department during the year, the cost price of any purchase not to exceed Sixty Dollars.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Chairman.
R. H. TOYE.
H. N. ROBERTSON.
D. COUPER.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Robertson (8), that the report of the Committee on Parks be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 18 for its second and third readings. The 31st rule being suspended by a two-thirds vote the By-law was read a second and third time, the second being in the committee of the whole, Ald. Robertson in the chair, was signed and sealed as printed on page 146.

Ald. Nickle presented By-law No. 21.

The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by a two-third vote a second and third time, the second being in the committee of the whole, Ald. Ross in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 21.

A By-law to appoint two members of the Board of Health.

WHEREAS by By-law No. 7 (1905), Daniel Reeves was appointed a member of the Local Board of Health for three years ending the second Monday in January, 1908:

AND WHEREAS by By-law No. 4 (1907) John McIntyre was appointed a member of the Local Board of Health for three years ending the second Monday in January, A.D., 1910.

AND WHEREAS the said Daniel Reeves and John McIntyre have resigned their respective offices and the same are now vacant:

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. Francis King of the City of Kingston, Barrister-at-law is hereby appointed a member of the Local Board of Health in the place and stead of John McIntyre, K.C.

2. Frederick Etherington, of the City of Kingston, Doctor of Medicine, is hereby appointed a member of the Local Board of Health in the place and stead of Daniel Reeves.

3. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 22.

The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Toye, in the chair, was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY- LAW NO. 22, 1907.

A By-law to raise by way of loan on the credit of the debentures therein mentioned the sum of $13,487.57 for the purposes therein mentioned.

Whereas there have been constructed in the City of Kingston during the year 1906 the sewers and walks in the Schedule to this By-law described and mentioned as Local Improvement Works under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf

And whereas the proportion of the cost of the said sewers and walks to be borne by the Municipality at large under the said provisions of the said Act and advanced by the said Municipality with interest amounts to $13,487.57, and to repay which a loan may be raised by the issue of debentures of the said Municipality as herein provided under the authority of the said Act.

And Whereas it is expedient to raise by way of loan accordingly upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned the sum of $13,487.57 for the said purpose of repaying

the said proportion of the cost of the said sewers and walks advanced by the said Municipality as aforesaid and interest thereon:

And Whereas the amount of the debts intended to be created by this By-law is $13,487.57 and the object for which it is to be created is the repaying to the said Municipality the proportion of the cost of the said sewers and walks advanced by it as aforesaid and the interest thereon as aforesaid.

AND WHEREAS the total amount to be raised annually by a special rate on all the rateable property of the said Municipality for the purpose of paying the said debt and the interest as hereinafter provided is $1,108.67.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the Municipality according to the last revised assessment roll of the said Municipality being for the year 1907 is $7,949,780.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the existing debenture debt of the Municipality is $1,093,660.59 and no part of the same or of the interest thereon is in arrear.

AND WHEREAS the probable life of the said sewers and walks is 20 years from the 1st day of July, 1907, as certified by the City Engineer of the said City:

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to lend the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, the sum of $13,487.57 and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said City for the purposes above recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required not less than $100 each and not exceeding in the whole the said sum of $13,487.57 and that the said debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Municipality and signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the said Treasurer thereof,

and shall be used to raise the sum of $13,487.57 by way of loan as aforesaid for the purpose aforesaid.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in 20 years from the first day of July, 1907, at the office of the said City Treasurer in the said City, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of the interest thereon half yearly, as hereinafter provided, and shall bear date the day this By-law takes effect.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum from the first day of July, 1907, which interest shall be payable half yearly on the first day of the months of January and July in each year at the office of the said Treasurer in the said City of Kingston.

5. The sum of $606.94 shall be raised annually as hereinafter mentioned for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency and the sum of $501.73 shall also be raised annually as hereinafter mentioned during the currency of the said debentures to form a sinking fund for the payment of the said debt, the said sums making together the annual amount of $1,108.67 to be raised as aforesaid, and which sum of $1,108.67 shall be raised, levied and collected in each year during the said period of 20 years by an annual special rate sufficient therefor to be levied on the whole rateable property of the said Municipality in each year of the said period of 20 years as aforesaid.

6. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

SCHEDULE

ARTIFICIAL STONE WALKS.

	City's portion of cost.
Albert St., west side, from Princess St. to south limit of Lot No. 652	$ 92 43
Bagot St., west side, from Earl St. south to connect with an asphalt walk north of Union St.	186 33
Barrie St., east side, from William St. to Johnson St.	147 02

	City's portion of cost.
Bay St., north side, from Bagot St. to Rideau St.....	115 48
Brock St., south side, from Clergy St. to 444½ feet east	224 28
Chatham St., west side, from Elm St. to Fifth St....	50 32
Clergy St., east side, from Princess St. to Queen St.	155 88
Corrigan St., north side, from Rideau St. to 160 feet west	48 82
Elm St., north side, from Chatham St. 65 feet west..	34 19
Fifth St., south side, from Chatham St. 65 feet east..	37 00
Frontenac St., west side, from Johnson St to Brock St.	142 34
Quebec St., north side, from Division St. east 180 feet.	64 19
Wellington St., west side, from Union St. to West St., thence northerly along West St. to Union St....	236 15
Albert St., east side, from Stuart St. south 86 feet....	57 06
Alice St., north side, from Alfred St. to Frontenac St.	45 05
Bagot St., west side, from John St. north 219 feet..	70 52
Barrack St., south side, from King St. to Ontario St.	192 92
Barrack St., south side, from King St. to Wellington St.	180 98
Barrie St., east side, from Queen St. to Colborne St...	66 77
Charles St., north side, from Rideau St. to Bagot St	174 84
Clergy St., east side, from Princess St. to Brock St..	57 70
Division St., east side, from Queen St. to Colborne St.	104 45
Earl St., south side, from Bagot St. west 250 feet....	143 90
Frontenac St., west side, from Mack St. to Princess..	276 05
Johnson St., north side, from Ontario St. east 129 feet	80 68
King St., west side, from Barrack St. south 183 feet..	109 60
King St., west side, from Place D'Armes to Barrack St.	79 91
King St., north side, from Beverly St. west 160 ft. 7 inches	65 87
Ordnance St., north side, from Wellington St to Rideau Street	84 98
Place D'Armes, south side, from King St. to Ontario Street	154 60

Princess St., south side, from Alfred St. to Victoria St.	616 87
Princess St., south side, from Victoria St. to Regent St.	505 36
Princess St., north side, from Victoria St. to a point opposite Regent St	611 13
Princess St., north side, from Alfred St. to Nelson St.	462 96
Queen St., south side, from King St. to Ontario St.	166 81
St. Lawrence Ave., west side, from Stuart St. south 106 feet	81 15
Wellington St., east side, from Queen St. to Princess St.	160 12
Wellington St., west side, from Ordnance St. north 260 feet	118 89
Wellington St., east side, from Place D'Armes north 190 feet	62 10
Bagot St., west side, from Queen St. to Princess St.	177 18
Barrack St., south side, from King St. to Wellington St.	140 54
Barrie St., east side, from Colborne St. to North St.	113 40
Barrie St., west side, from Colborne St. to North St.	89 40
Clergy St., west side, from Queen St. to Colborne St.	83 83
Colborne St., north side, from Clergy St. to Barrie St.	142 69
Deacon St., south side, from Barrie St. to Arch St..	101 41
Division St., west side, from Earl St. to Clergy St. W.	110 33
Division St., east side, from Princess St. to Queen St.	81 40
Dufferin St., north side, from Rideau St. to Bagot St.	138 54
Earl St., north side, from Division St. to University Ave.	180 89
Earl St., south side, from Clergy St. to Barrie St., thence south to Clergy St., thence northerly to Earl St. at starting point	261 18
Frontenac St., east side, from Johnson St. to Brock St.	151 72
Gore St., south side, from Wellington St. to Bagot St.	150 44
Johnson St., south side, from Barrie St. to Division St.	157 04
Johnson St., north side, from Albert St. to Alfred St.	275 06
Johnson St., north side, Bagot St., from Sydenham St.	492 86
Johnson St., south side, from Frontenac St. to Albert Street	124 78
King St., east side, from Place D'Armes to Barrack St.	91 64
King St., north side, from Ellerbeck St. 470 feet easterly	167 39
King St., north side, from O'Kill St. to University Ave.	280 13

	City's portion of cost.
King St., north side, from Beverly St. to Collingwood Street	97 22
Montreal St., east side, from James St. to John St...	245 02
Montreal St., east side, from North St. to Raglan Road	151 61
North St., south side, from Barrie St. to Ordnance St.	40 68
O'Kill St., south side, from Barrie St. to George St.	101 60
O'Kill St., east side, from King St. to George St.....	145 91
Ordnance St., south side, from North St. to Clergy St.	122 78
Ordnance St., south side, from Sydenham St. to Montreal St.	108 50
Princess St., north side, from Division St. easterly 536 feet	221 71
Queen St., south side, from Barrie St. to Chapman St.	116 88
Queen St., north side, from King St. to Ontario St..	232 84
Queen St., south side, from Clergy St. to Sydenham Street	131 35
Raglan Road, west side, from Bagot St. to Montreal Street	114 98
Rideau St., west side, from Dufferin St. to Cataraqui St.	233 94
St. Lawrence Ave., east side, from Stuart St. to King St.	189 86
Stuart St., south side, from St. Lawrence Ave. to Albert Street	109 58
Sydenham St., west side, from Ordnance St. to Colborne Street	116 92
Sydenham St., east side, from Ordnance St. to Queen Street	344 71
University Ave., east side, from Earl St. to Johnson St.	221 32
Wellington St., west side, from Gore St. to Union St.	96 68
West St., east side, from Sydenham St. south 141 ft.	108 84
West St., east side, from Earl St. to Sydenham St...	211 74
William St., north side, from King St. to Ontario St.	119 80
	$13,343.63

TILE SEWERS.

1. Rideau St., from a point 536.5 feet north of Cataraqui St., southerly to connect with a tile sewer in Cataraqui St. ..... $ 106 26

2. King St., starting from a point 78 feet north of Union St., northerly 63 feet..... 37 68

$ 143 94

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 23.

The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended, a second and third time, the second being in the committee of the whole, Ald. Angrove in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows.

BY-LAW NO. 23, 1907.

A By-law to authorize the construction of a common sewer in a part of King Street, in the City of Kingston, as a local improvement under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston has received a recommendation from the Board of Health of the said City, for the construction of a common sewer under the provisions of the "Municipal Act" in that behalf, and under the powers conferred by Section 668, Sub-section 4 of "The Municipal Act" in King Street, starting from a point 78 feet north of Union St., northerly 63 feet in the City of Kingston, and the said Council has by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of the said Cuncil at a regular meeting of said Council, affirmed that it is desirable and necessary in the public interest, to construct the said sewer for the purpose of draining the said locality for sanitary and drainage purposes, as a local improvement to be paid for by special assessment of the real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said improvement.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to construct the said improvement as recommended by the said Board of Health and the City Engineer.

And Whereas the estimated cost of the said improvement, including interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned is $60.65 part of which cost $37.68 is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4 and the remainder is to be assessed on the real property immediately benefited and assessable, but it is deemed advisable to defer making the final special assessment for the part of the cost of the said improvement including interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned to be levied for by such assessment on the real property immediately benefited by said improvement liable to be assessed therefor as aforesaid until the exact cost of the said improvement including said interest has been ascertained after its completion, when the said estimated cost, the proportion thereof to be provided by the Municipality at large, and the proportions thereof to be assessed on the various portions of real estate so benefited as aforesaid, shall be adjusted in accordance with the said exact cost.

Be it Therefore Enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:—

1. A Common Sewer shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as a local improvement under the provisions of the said Act, and under the authority aforesaid to be paid for by a special assessment of the real property immediately benefited thereby liable to assessment, except that part of the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, in the said part of King Street hereinbefore in the recital of this By-law mentioned and described, which said sewer shall have a sectional area of 28.274 square inches and shall be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by the said City Engineer and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sewer except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loan hereinafter

mentioned and meet the interest and principal of the debentures to be issued for the same as hereinafter mentioned in Section 3, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the said real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said improvement and liable to be assessed, according to the frontage of the said property for a period to be hereafter determined, but within the probable life of the said improvement as shall be certified by the said City Engineer which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law, but to enable this Council to avoid the necessity of making a second or other additional assessment or a refund in case of an over-assessment, such assesment shall not be finally made until the exact cost of the said improvement has been ascertained after its completion and in the meantime a temporary loan shall be affected by the Mayor and City Treasurer to meet such cost, except as aforesaid, as provided by law in such cases.

3. Upon the completion of the said improvement the City Engineer shall ascertain the exact cost of the same exclusive of the interest on the said temporary loan and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan as mentioned in Section 4 shall be deducted therefrom and the interest on the temporary loan being added to the balance thus obtained the said final special assessment shall be made on the real property immediately benefited by the said improvement for the said amount by an annual special frontage rate on said real property as aforesaid and to repay the said temporary loan and interest, the said amount consisting of the said balance and the interest on the said temporary loan aforesaid, shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation which shall be issued on the security of the said special assessment and rate and may be further guaranteed by this Council if it see fit as provided by law and the necessary By-laws shall be passed for the said purposes.

4. This Council shall provide out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan to be raised upon debentures issued for the purpose as authorized by law, the cost of all culverts and other works necessary for Street surface drainage made

in connection with the said sewer, and also the cost of that part of the said sewer which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of Street intersections, and also one-half of the cost of that part of the sewer done or made opposite real property, if such property is but on one side of it, which by any general or special Act is exempt from special or local assessment, and also the cost of the whole of that part of the said sewer done or made opposite real property if such property is on both sides of it which is so exempt from special or local assessment.

5. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 24.

The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended a second and third time, the second being in the committee of the whole, Ald. Carson in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows.

BY-LAW NO. 24, 1907.

A By-law to authorize the construction of a common sewer in a part of Montreal Street, in the City of Kingston, as a local improvement under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston has received a recommendation from the Board of Health of the said City, for the construction of a common sewer under the provisions of the "Municipal Act" in that behalf, and under the powers conferred by Section 668, Sub-section 4 of "The Municipal Act" in Montreal Street, from North Street to Raglan Road in the City of Kingston, and the said Council has by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of the said Council at a regular meeting of said Council, affirmed that it is desirable and necessary in the public interest, to construct the said sewer for the purpose of draining the said locality for sanitary and drainage purposes, as a local improvement to be paid for by

special assessment of the real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said improvement.

And Whereas it is expedient to construct the said improvement as recommended by the said Board of Health and the City Engineer.

And Whereas the estimated cost of the said improvement, including interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned is $774.80 part of which cost $66.00 is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4 and the remainder is to be assessed on the real property immediately benefited and assessable, but it is deemed advisable to defer making the final special assessment for the part of the cost of the said improvement including interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned to be levied for by such assessment on the real property immediately benefited by said improvement liable to be assessed therefor as aforesaid until the exact cost of the said improvement including the said interest has been ascertained after its completion, when the said estimated cost, the proportion thereof to be provided by the Municipality at large, and the proportions thereof to be assessed on the various portions of real estate so benefited as aforesaid, shall be adjusted in accordance with the said exact cost.

Be it Therefore Enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:—

1. A Common Sewer shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as a local improvement under the provisions of the said Act, and under the authority aforesaid to be paid for by a special assessment of the real property immediately benefited thereby liable to assessment, except that part of the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, in the said part of Montreal Street hereinbefore in the recital of this By-law mentioned and described, which said Sewer shall have a sectional area of 63.617 square inches and shall be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by

the said City Engineer and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sewer except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned and meet the interest and principal of the debentures to be issued for the same as hereinafter mentioned in Section 3, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the said real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said improvement and liable to be assessed, according to the frontage of the said property for a period to be hereafter determined, but within the probable life of the said improvement as shall be certified by the said City Engineer which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law, but to enable this Council to avoid the necessity of making a second or other additional assessment or a refund in case of an over-assessment, such assessment shall not be finally made until the exact cost of the said improvement has been ascertained after its completion and in the meantime a temporary loan shall be affected by the Mayor and City Treasurer to meet such cost; except as aforesaid, as provided by law in such cases.

3. Upon the completion of the said improvement the City Engineer shall ascertain the exact cost of the same exclusive of the interest on the said temporary loan and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan as mentioned in Section 4 shall be deducted therefrom and the interest on the temporary loan being added to the balance thus obtained the said final special assessment shall be made on the real property immediately benefited by the said improvement for the said amount by an annual special frontage rate on said real property as aforesaid and to repay the said temporary loan and interest, the said amount consisting of the said balance and the interest on the said temporary loan aforesaid, shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation which shall be issued on the securtiy of the said special assessment and rate and may be further guaranteed by this Council if it see fit as provided by law and the necessary By-laws shall be passed for the said purposes.

4. This Council shall provide out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan to be raised upon the debentures issued for the purpose as authorized by law, the cost of all culverts and other works necessary for Street surface drainage made in connection with the said sewer, and also the cost of that part of the said sewer which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of Street intersections, and also one-half of the cost of that part of the sewer done or made opposite real property, if such property is but on one side of it, which by any general or special Act is exempt from special or local assessment, and also the cost of the whole of that part of the said sewer done or made opposite real property if such property is on both sides of it which is so exempt from special or local assessment.

5. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

MOTIONS.

RE DEPUTY MINISTER PUBLIC WORKS, ON STREET MAKING.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott (9), that whereas arrangements have been made for securing the services of Mr. Campbell, Deputy Minister of Public Works, and Commissioner of Highways, for making an inspection and report on the streets, that His Worship the Mayor call a special meeting of Council to hear Mr. Campbell, and discuss the question of street making.—Carried.

RE PETITION OF MR. TURKINGTON FOR PRIVILEGE OF REMOVING A BUILDING.

Moved by Ald. McCann, seconded by Ald. Graham (10), that the communication of W. Turkington for the removal of a house on Barrie to Patrick St. be referred to the Chairman of the Board of Works and City Engineer with power to act.—Carried.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Couper to adjourn. —Carried.

Council adjourned at 10 p.m.

City Clerk.

Kingston, May 14th, 1907.

A special meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship, Mayor Mowat, presiding.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Couper, Douglas, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, Henderson, McCann, Millan, Nickle, Robertson, Ross and Toye.

The Mayor explained that the meeting was called in consideration of a motion passed at a meeting of Council held May 6th, to hear Mr. Campbell discuss the question of street making. Ald. Gaskin introduced the subject of street making and the conditions which led up to having the Deputy Minister of Public Works present. Mr. Campbell addressed the Council at length regarding the present condition of the city streets and gave advise as to a remedy.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Nickle, that a vote of thanks be tendered Mr. Campbell for the very clear, lucid and satisfactory manner in which he explained the conditions of our streets and the remedy for the same.—Carried.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Couper, that the Council do now adjourn. Council adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

City Clerk.

Kingston, May 20th, 1907.

A regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship, Mayor Mowat, presiding.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Graham, Hanley, Couper, Craig, Douglas, Elliott, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, Henderson, McCann, Nickle, Millan, Kent, Rigney, Robertson, Ross and Toye.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Douglass, that the minutes of April 29th and May 6th, be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Guild & Hanson soliciting an order for copies of City Directory.

T. R. Earngy asking Council to endow a bed in the Muskoka Free Hospital.

BOARD OF WORKS.

H. Mooers re a defective drain on Barrie Street.

C. McPherson asking for removal of tree at 162 Earl street.

Mrs. Warburton asking the removal of a tree from the front of her house, 318 Brock street.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Joseph Swift re the need of a light at the foot of Clarence street.

CITY PROPERTY.

Robert Wallace wanting to purchase lot 65 and 66 adjoining his quarry.

FYLE.

W. H. Miller, Auditor, showing the number of patients in the hospital, May 8th, 1907.

PETITIONS.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Joseph Smith and others, Corporation laborers, asking to have their wages increased to $2.00 per day, of 9 hours.

Thomas Thurlby and others for construction of a sewer as a local improvement on Ellerbeck street.

WATER WORKS.

Mrs. McCammon and others for water works extension on Main street between Ellis and Ann streets.

Employees of Water Works Department asking to have their wages increased to $2.00 per day.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

From E. Brightman and others asking to have wages of men working on gas mains increased.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Rigney presented report No. 49 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Committee Room, May 17th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That on the advice of the City Solicitor the sum of $9.96 be written off the Tax Collector's Rolls for the year 1900. This is an amount of arrears against E. W. Mullin, who makes the statement that he paid the same to Tax Collector who held office in the above year.

2. That the following accounts be paid:

BOARD OF WORKS.

C. P. R. Tel. Co., message to Clarendon	$ 39
Shales & Laugher, smithwork	14 00
Engineering News, balance of subscription to May	50
James Sowards, wood	3 25
S. Grimshaw, lumber and labor (breakwater)	18 91
Light, Heat and Power, freight, cedar poles	15 00
Pay List, ending May 15th	960 53
Alex. Tait, broken stone	36 04

FIRE AND LIGHT.

J. Pollie, labor and supplies, No. 2 station	14 23
Lemmon & Sons, supplies	16 47
Light Department, Pine Brackets	1 00
The Bailey Broom Co., Brooms	3 50

Selby & Youlden, repairs to Engine, No. 2 station	13 39
D. Hutchison, horse feed, No. 1 and 2 stations	14 92
S. Anglin & Co., lumber, No. 2 station	5 49

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Lemmon & Sons, supplies	$ 82 85
McColl Bros. & Co., oil and grease	71 90
The Cutler Hammer Mfg. Co., starters	108 00
Thos. McAuley, supplies for office	1 75
G. N. W. Tel. Co., two messages	84
John Corbett, supplies	37 17
Canadian General Electric Co., supplies	126 17
Canadian General Electric Co., W. C. wire	23 86
Canadian General Electric Co., Flint globes	9 58
Canadian Meter Co., meters and locks	143 40
G. T. R. freight, gas oil	126 66
G. T. R. freight, gas oil	129 90
Thos. McAuley, pens and ink	75
R. E. T. Pringle Co., supplies	73 37
McColl Bros., oil and grease	55 22
Canadian General Elect. Co., supplies	9 06
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies	24 57
P. G. Wilmot, horse feed	3 83
P. Walsh, lime and coal screenings	67 06
Wm. Cockburn, smithwork	44 19
Jos. Paradis, board for linemen	14 00
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	474 24
G. A. Wright, smithwork	33 43
Frontenac Lumber Co., lumber and coal screenings	170 33
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	48 30
Thompson-Bonney Co., supplies	70 86
K. & P. R. R., teaming	4 20
G. T. R., freight	2 39
Dominion Government, duty	3 90
Canadian Express Co., 3 bills	2 20
Jas. Swift & Co., freight	5 23
John Mouldey, brick	28 00
Pay List, ending May 15th	1257 96

CITY PROPERTY.

Geo. Sears, night latch	2 50
S. Grimshaw, lumber and labor	1 02
Office Specialty Co., Legal Blank Section	13 50
G. T. R., freight on Legal Blank Section	59
R. Blakley, carting refuse for January, February, March and April	12 80
Queen City Oil Co., floor oil	2 50

PARKS.

E. Morden, trees	28 00
K. & P. R. R., freight on trees	1 47
Pay List, ending May 15th	41 78
S. Grimshaw, labor and lumber	32 01
K., P. & C. Street R.R., tickets	2 00
James Cruse, repairing and sharpening mowers	1 20
C. Lewis, removing dead animals	75

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

T. F. Harrison Co., table	5 50
Office Specialty Manfg. Co., cabinet for P. M.	18 00

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Municipal World Manual	2 12

CONTINGENCIES.

S. A. Hentig, postage stamps, City Clerk	5 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Jessie M. Begg, typewriting to May 20th	8 00

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor and Chairman.
D. A. GIVENS.
T. J. RIGNEY.
J. S. R. McCANN.
W. G. CRAIG.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. McCann (2), that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Ross presented report No. 50 from Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Committee Room, May 17, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the petition of J. D. Boyd and others for the placing of a light on Pine St. be not granted.

2. That the men of the Kingston Fire Department be reinsured with the Canadian Casualty and Boiler Insurance Co., Toronto, policy to cover accident insurance only, premiums $10 each per year.

3. That in the matter of the account of $380.76 from the Light, Heat and Power Committee for extra street lighting, the following is submitted:

By the terms of the agreement dated 14th July, 1896, and in force when the plant was taken over by the City, between the Kingston Light, Heat & Power Company and the Corporation of the City of Kingston, it was provided that the Corporation should pay the Company $72.66 per year per lamp for street lighting on a moonlight schedule, and a further sum of 3c. per lamp per hour in respect of the periods during which the lamps should be ordered to be lit after the limit of extra hours of free lighting provided for in the specification shall have been exceeded.

The clause in the specification in regard to the hours of free lighting reads as follows: "The lamps shall be lighted from not later than thirty minutes after sunset each night till thirty minutes before sunrise, continuously, except at such periods of any night when the moon is high enough and obscured enough to give a clear and distinct light sufficient to render the lighting of said lamps unnecessary, but at any time the lights must be lit on the order of the Chief of Police or City Engineer between the hours after sunset and before sunrise aforesaid, when in the opinion of these officers the lights are necessary; and there shall be no extra charge made by the Company for the lights being thus ordered on during the moonlight hours according to the Schedule, unless and until the number of hours the lamps are thus ordered on exceeds 150 hours per lamp per year, after which limit the lamps thus ordered on shall be paid for at the rate of three cents per lamp per hour.

In 1906 a resolution was passed by the Light, Heat & Power Committee reducing the annual charge to $62.00 per lamp from July, 1006, but it does not appear to have in any other way altered the terms of City lighting as defined by the above mentioned agreement.

At the close of the past year an account for $380.76 was submitted for payment to the Fire and Light Committee, who contended that the same was not correct, in that the hours of free lighting had not been credited. It is alleged that a verbal understanding was made that after the reduction took effect these hours of free lighting were to be discontinued, but there is nothing on the minutes of any committee so far as has been ascertained to substantiate this contention. It might be mentioned that the Light Committee do not appear to have brought before Council for confirmation their recommendation for reduction.

Your Fire and Light Committee are not prepared to take the responsibility of paying an account for extra street lighting of $380.76 when previous accounts have averaged less than $50, without submitting the same to Council for instructions.

It might be noted that the provision of the old agreement by which the Company were charged 10c. for lights improperly out, and credited with 3c. for extra lighting, is admitted to have been in force during the quarter ending December 31, in which the disputed account was incurred. As a matter of fact it is not contended that the agreement was in any way varied beyond this reduction in cost and the alleged cancellation of the privilege of free light for one hundred and fifty hours per lamp per year.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) A. E. ROSS, Chairman.
D. J. MILLAN.
C. J. GRAHAM.
H. ANGROVE.
W. F. NICKLE.
L. L. HENDERSON.
H. N. ROBERTSON.

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Robertson (3), that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Craig, that clause No. 1 of the Fire and Light Committee be struck out and that the light be placed where it was first intended near Zion Church, corner Pine and Division Sts.—Lost. The original motion was then declared.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 51 of the Committee on Light, Heat and Power as follows:—

Committee Room, May 14th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the account of John Mouldey for brick, amounting to $28.00, be paid.

2. That the tender of the Canadian Meter Co. for the following meters be accepted:

100 pairs	3	Lt.	Diaphragm	.....	$120 00
100 "	5	"	"	.....	150 00
2 "	20	"	"	.....	5 60
2 "	30	"	"	.....	7 20
2 "	50	"	"	.....	8 40
2 "	60	"	"	.....	12 00
2 "	120	"	"	.....	16 00

3 Light regular meters on order of not less than 20 in a shipment, $5.25 each.

5 Light regular meters on order of not less than 18 in a shipment, $6.25 each.

10 Light regular meters on order of not less than 18 in a shipment, $8.40.

The balance of regular meters at 25 per cent. off the following list:

50 3-Lt. Prepayment meters, at $10 each.

50 10-Lt. Prepayment meters at $14.50 each.

All prices F.O.B. Kingston, Ont. No charge for crates and packing.

3. That W. J. Crothers be charged 4c. per K.W. hour for power at his factory on Wellington St. for a period of three months, when the amount consumed will be determined, and a rate fixed by agreement in accordance with the amount which will be required.

4. That the tender of the Eugene Phillips Electrical Co. for 500 lbs. No. 10 Weather Proof wire at 28¼c. per lb. be accepted.

5. That tenders be asked for 12 dozen locks for use on the Arc Lamp Circuit.

6. That the old 3 in. rock and cast iron main on Ontario Street from Union to West Streets, length 500 feet, be replaced by a new 4-in. pipe.

7. That the wages of the men who are employed in making the excavations for gas mains be increased from 18 to 19 cents per hour.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.

D. A. GIVENS.

T. J. RIGNEY.

D. COUPER.

H. DOUGLAS.

G. Y. CHOWN.

JOHN GASKIN, objecting to clause 7.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Rigney (4), that the report of the Committee on Light, Heat and Power be received and adopted with clause 7 withdrawn.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Angrove presented report No. 52 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:

Committee Room, May 15th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the request of the Victoria Day Celebration Committee to use the Fair Grounds on May 24th or 25th be granted.

2. That the request of the Victoria Day Celebration Committee to permit owners to train horses on the track at the Fair Grounds free of charge until May 24th be granted.

3. That as the City Engineer has reported the entrances to the grand stands and the platform adjoining the judges' stand at the Fair Grounds as unsafe, that the entrances to the stands be closed and placarded as unsafe, that the platform be taken down, or that the Victoria Day Celebration Committee be allowed to repair the entrances to the stands, under the supervision of the City Engineer, and without cost to the Corporation.

4. That the communication of Thos. H. McGuire regarding the tank field be referred to the Committee on Waterworks.

4. That a rebate of $8.00 be made to the Board of Trade for rent of hall used for the lecture delivered by the Hon. Adam Beck.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) H. ANGROVE, Chairman.
D. COUPER.
H. DOUGLAS.
C. J. GRAHAM.
A. E. ROSS.
R. F. ELLIOTT.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Couper, (5), that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted with clause 5 struck out.

Consolidation of City By-Laws.

Ald. Rigney presented report No. 53 from the Committee on the Consolidation of City By-laws as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, May 17th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on the revision of the City By-laws beg leave to report as follows:—

1. Your Committee herewith submit the bound volumes of the By-laws.

2. Your Committee recommend that one copy be presented to each member of Council and to each of the City officials and to Major Shannon, formerly City Clerk and to A. K. Kirkpatrick, Esq., formerly City Engineer and to each member of the legal profession practising in Kingston and to Judge Price and Judge Madden, and to the Library of the Frontenac Law Association.

3. Your Committee recommend that one copy be sent to each of the following Municipal Corporations with compliments of this Corporation.

(1) To all the cities of Ontario—14 in all.

(2) The following Canadian cities in provinces other than Ontario:—Halifax, N. S.; St. John, N. B.; Quebec, Q.; Winni-

peg, Man.; Regina, Sask.; Edmonton, Alta.; Vancouver, B. C.; Victoria, B. C.

(4) The annexed schedule shows the proposed distribution of volumes and volumes on hand after distribution.

(5) Your Committee recommend that the Clerk preserve a record of the volumes distributed and that the volumes on hand after distribution be carefully stored by the City Clerk to be issued from time to time in future as required.

SCHEDULE.

Distribution of Revised By-laws. Volumes bound in half calf in all 75.

Mayor and Council 22
Police Magistrate 1
Judge Price 1
Judge Madden 1
Ex. officials Shannon and Kirkpatrick 2
Law Library, Court House 1

Cities in Ontario:

Ottawa, Belleville, Peterboro, Toronto, Hamilton St. Catharines, Brantford, Stratford, Woodstock, London, Guelph, St. Thomas, Chatham, Windsor 14

City extra Ontario:

St. John, N. B.; Halifax, N. S.; Quebec, Q.; Montreal, Q.; Winnipeg, Man.; Regina, Sask.; Edmonton, Alta.; Vancouver, B. C.; Victoria, B. C..... 9

51

Balance volumes bound in calf on hand after distribution as above 24

75

Volumes bound in cloth interleaved.

City Officials:

Clerk, Engineer, Assessor, Auditor, Treasurer,

Chief of Police, Collector, Water Works Department, Gas and Electric Light Department, City Solicitor, Medical Health Officer, Police Court 12

Legal Profession:

Legal Profession, City 18 less 6 included in officials and City Council 12

24

Cloth, not interleaved:

Police Sergeants (2), Police Station (2) 4

28

Balance cloth bound volumes on hand 97

125

Summary:

Half calf 75, less distributed 51 24
Cloth 125, less distributed 28 97

Volumes remaining 131

(6) Your Committee recommend that the following sums be paid in respect of the revision of the By-laws:

Donald M. McIntyre, City Solicitor $500 00
Miss Marion Whelan, Stenographer & Typewriter, clerical service 85 00
Miss Sarah E. Flanagan, assisting in preparation of list of officials 10 00

All of which is respectively submitted,

(Signed) D. A. GIVENS, Chairman.
T. J. RIGNEY.
D. M. McINTYRE.
W. F. NICKLE.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Nickle (6), that the report of the Committee on Consolidation of City By-laws be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 25.

The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended, a second and third time, the second being in the committee of the whole, Ald. Chown in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 25, 1907.

A By-law to authorize the construction of a common sewer in a part of Rideau street, in the City of Kingston, as a local improvement under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston has received a recommendation from the Board of Health of the said City, for the construction of a common sewer under the provisions of the "Municipal Act" in that behalf, and under the powers conferred by Section 668, Sub-section 4 of "the Municipal Act" in Rideau street from Ordnance street northerly 139 feet, in the City of Kingston, and the said Council has by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of the said Council at a regular meeting of said Council, affirmed that it is desirable and necessary in the public interest, to construct the said sewer for the purpose of draining the said locality for sanitary and drainage purposes, as a local improvement to be paid for by special assessment of the real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said improvement.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to construct the said improvement as recommended by the said Board of Health and the City Engineer.

AND WHEREAS the estimated cost of the said improvement, including interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned is $309.75 part of which cost $78.75 is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4 and the remainder is to be assessed on the real property immediately benefited and assessable, but it is deemed advisable to defer making the final special assessment for the part of the cost of the said improve-

ment including interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned to be levied for by such assessment on the real property immediately benefited by said improvement liable to be assessed therefor as aforesaid until the exact cost of the said improvement including said interest has been ascertained after its completion, when the said estimated cost, the proportion thereof to be provided by the Municipality at large, and the proportions thereof to be assessed on the various portions of real estate so benefited as aforesaid, shall be adjusted in accordance with the said exact cost.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:—

1. A common sewer shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as a local improvement under the provisions of the said Act, and under the authority aforesaid to be paid for by a special assessment of the real property immediately benefited thereby liable to assessment, except that part of the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, in the said part of Rideau street hereinbefore in the recital to this By-law mentioned and described, which said sewer shall have a sectional area of 63.617 square inches and shall be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by the said City Engineer and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sewer as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned and meet the interest and principal of the debentures to be issued for the same as hereinafter mentioned in Section 3, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the said real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said improvement and liable to be assessed, according to the frontage of the said property for a period to be hereafter determined, but within the probable life of the said improvement as shall be certified by the said City Engineer which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law, but to

enable this Council to avoid the necessity of making a second or other additional assessment or a refund in case of an over-assessment, such assessment shall not be finally made until the exact cost of the said improvement has been ascertained after its completion and in the meantime a temporary loan shall be affected by the Mayor and City Treasurer to meet such cost, except as aforesaid, as provided by law in such cases.

3. Upon the completion of the said improvement the City Engineer shall ascertain the exact cost of the same exclusive of the interest on the said temporary loan and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan as mentioned in Section 4 shall be deducted therefrom and the interest of the temporary loan being added to the balance thus obtained the said final special assessment shall be made on the real property immediately benefited by the said improvement for the said amount by an annual special frontage rate on said real property as aforesaid and to repay the said temporary loan and interest, the said amount consisting of the said balance and the interest on the said temporary loan as aforesaid, shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation which shall be issued on the security of the said special assessment and rate and may be further guaranteed by this Council if it see fit as provided by law and the necessary By-laws shall be passed for the said purposes.

4. This Council shall provide out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan to be raised upon debentures issued for the purpose as authorized by law, the cost of all culverts and other works necessary for street surface drainage made in connection with the said sewer, and also the cost of that part of the said sewer which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of street intersections, and also one-half of the cost of that part of the sewer done or made opposite real property, if such property is but on one side of it, which by any general or special Act is exempt from special or local assessment, and also the cost of the whole of that part of the said sewer done or made opposite real property if such property is on both sides of it which is so exempt from special or local assessment.

5. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

Ald. Rigney presented By-law No. 26.

The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Couper in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 26, 1907.

A By-law to authorize the Head and Treasurer of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, to borrow certain sums to meet the now current expenditure.

Passed.

WHEREAS, in order to meet the now current expenditure of the Corporation, it is necessary to borrow money in anticipation until such time as the taxes to be levied therefor can be collected, and whereas it is necessary under Section 435 of the Consolidated Municipal Act, 1903 to pass a By-law authorizing such to be done.

AND WHEREAS, the sum of one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars is required to meet the now current expenses of the said Corporation and to pay the moneys required for school purposes, and such sum does not exceed ninety per cent of the estimates for the current year.

AND WHEREAS the sum of ninety thousand dollars parcel of said sum has already been borrowed under authority of a By-law of this Council duly passed in that behalf and it is expedient to authorize the Mayor and Treasurer to borrow the additional sum of forty-five thousand dollars.

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. That the Head and Treasurer of the said Corporation be, and they are, hereby, authorized under the seal of the Corporation to borrow from the Bank of British North America, the sum of forty-five thousand dollars, required to meet the now current expenditure of said Corporation and to pay the moneys required for school purposes.

2. That the said Mayor, and the Treasurer aforesaid, be, and they are, hereby, authorized to pay or allow the said Bank interest on the said sum so borrowed at the rate of five per cent. per annum.

3. That a promissory note or notes, covenant or agreement sealed with the Corporation seal and signed on behalf of the Corporation by the Mayor and Treasurer, be duly executed and given to the said Bank as aforesaid as security for the repayment of the amount borrowed with interest thereon as aforesaid.

4. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Douglas, that each member of the Council hereby pledges his most vigorous, energetic support and effort to secure the passing of the Smelter By-laws on the 28th inst. His Worship the Mayor is hereby respectively requested to call a public meeting in the City Hall on the 25th inst. to discuss this important question.—Carried.

RE PETITION FOR STREET WATERING.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Graham (8), that the petition of H. W. Newman and others for street watering of that part of King street between Albert and Beverley streets be granted, as the petition is certified by the Assessor, being sufficiently signed.—Carried.

RE THE ACCOUNT FOR EXTRA STREET LIGHTING.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Couper (9), that the fire and light account be referred to the Light, Heat and Power Committee.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Graham to adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

City Clerk.

June 3rd, 1907.

The Regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present—Alds. Angrove, Carson, Couper, Elliott, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Kent, McCann, Millan, Nickle, Rigney, Robertson, Ross, Toye.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Rigney, that the minutes of last meeting as amended be adopted as printed. Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

G. S. Wilson, Asst. Secretary Union of Canadian Municipalities, enclosing an account for $60.00, 1907, annual fee.

BOARD OF WORKS.

The following persons objecting to the construction of concrete walks:

Mrs. Isabella Corcoran, on Cherry St., W. side, from Quebec to Pine St.

Chas. J. Martin, on Redan, from Balaclava northerly 219 feet.

Eliza McWylie, on Division, E. side, from Brock to Princess Street.

Philbert Dine, on York St., N. side, from Alma to Barrie Street.

Ann Eliza O'Gorman, on Montreal St., W. side, Russell St. 668 feet, north K. & P. R.

Annie McGill, on Concession St., S. side, from Division westerly 265 feet east of Lansdowne St.

E. J. B. Pense, M.P.P., on part Garrett, N. side, from Division westerly 136 feet.

Elda L. McDowall, on York St., N. side, from Alma to Barrie, also on Quebec, S. side, from Division to Patrick Street.

C. Birmingham on William, S. side, from Ontario St. easterly 62 feet.

F. Conway, for K. & P. Ry., asking to have road between freight office and railway track sprinkled twice a week, also Clarence St. below Ontario St. to railway track.

WATERWORKS.

The Manufacturers' List Co., Toronto, asking subscription to 1907 edition Canadian Industrial blue book.

Queen's University Athletic Committee asking that a water meter be put in.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Men working on gas mains applying for an increase of wages.

Agnes Gibson, asking to have the Armouries suitably lighted for a "Made-in-Canada" exhibition.

CITY PROPERTY.

Ald. Craig, enclosing an extract from a letter received from R. E. Cushman, manager Stanley Smelting Works, which asks that tenants on smelter site be given notice to vacate.

FYLE.

The City Clerk, notifying Council that the electors have given their assent to the passing of the Zinc and Lead Smelter By-Laws.

Laurie Engine and Machine Co., Ltd., re the manufacturing of engines.

CITY SOLICITOR.

The Hedley, Shaw Milling Co., asking for rebate of the balance of the business tax for this year.

City Clerk, asking for leave of absence to attend military camp at Petewawa.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Millan (2), that the request of the City Clerk for leave of absence for the purpose of attending the military camp be granted. Carried.

PETITIONS

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

J. S. Gommer, asking rebate of amount of dog tax and costs 1906, paid, to save goods from distress.

WATERWORKS.

Thomas Thurlby and others for waterworks extension on Ellerbeck St.

McKelvey & Birch, asking permission to enlarge the opening in sidewalk underneath the windows in front of their building at 71 Brock St., and place therein prism glass.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Robertson (3), that the petition of McKelvey & Birch be referred to the Chairman of the Board of Works, City Solicitor and the City Engineer, with power to act. Carried.

REPORTS.

Ald. Elliott presented Report No. 54 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows:

Finance and Accounts.

Committee Room, Kingston, May 31, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the following accounts be paid:—

Board of Works.

J. McDonald Mowat, expenses Ottawa	$ 14 00
Earnest R. Beckwith, expenses Ottawa	13 00
K. & P. R.R., pipe	6 66
K. & P. R.R., timber	5 40
Thos. Robertson & Co., pipe	1,695 14
Frontenac Lumber Co., lumber	156 52
F. Tracey, smithwork	18 60
Canadian Express	55

John Corbett, supplies	26 36
Alex. Tait, broken stone	34 77
James Sowards, wood	1 65
Pay list ending May 29th	812 57

Fire and Light.

Kingston Coal Co., coal No. 1 & 2 stations	$ 18 90
Taylor & Hamilton, supplies, No. 1 & 2 stations	8 76
James Mallen, slabs and carting refuse	10 00
Henry Skinner & Co., blue stone	161 63
Thos. Lambert, clothing	247 50

Parks.

Pay list ending May 29th	$ 30 06
John Wilkinson, manure	2 00
W. P. Peters, lawn seed	3 30

Printing and Stationery.

The Canadian Freeman	$ 7 20
The British Whig	86 95
Kingston News, Smelter By-law	126 00

Industries.

Rideau Lakes Navigation Co., (advertising)	$ 50 00

Contingencies.

K. & P. R.R., pauper passage	$ 80
K. & P. R.R., pauper passage	3 15

Miscellaneous.

Election expenses, smelter by-law	182 00
City Registry Offices, searches, (Assessor)	9 80
Frances Laird, typewriting to June 3rd	8 00

Light, Heat and Power.

Alex. Tait, excavating for gas holder	$350 00
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil	311 49
Can. Meter Co., diaphragms	135 00
The Bristol Co., charts	10 13
Jas. Norris, board (line men)	18 00
John Kelly, smithwork	5 25

John McDermott, repairs to cart	4 75
Can. Meter Co., discs	14 81
D. J. Garbutt, kegs	1 00
L. W. Murphy, horse feed	4 90
Selby & Youlden, repairs to engine	7 00
Dominion Government, duty on gas holder	184 97
Alex. Tait, gravel	44 85
K. & P. R.R., switching poles	2 00
Jos. Paradis, board (line men)	14 00
Queen City Oil Co., dynamo oil	9 81
Canada Metal Co., pig lead	217 84
Dominion Government, balance of duty on gas holder	247 69
Can. Westinghouse Co., 50% being balance due on generator	2,535 50
R. Crawford, hard coal screenings	178 40
The Rudd Harness Co., bag	3 75
K. & P. R.R., freight	47
Canadian Express	90
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps	4 00
Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co., freight	61
G. T. R., freight	84
F. Tracey, smithwork	7 44
R. Patterson, hay	22 98

2. That this Committee be empowered to sell the debentures of the city, authorized under the By-Laws, duly passed, viz.:

For Light extensions	$85,000 00
For Local Improvements	25,738 40
For O'Kill St. Sewer	3,900 00

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Chairman.
R. F. ELLIOTT.
R. E. KENT.
D. A. GIVENS.
J. S. R. McCANN.

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Rigney (4), that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted. Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented Report No. 55 of Board of Works, as follows:

Committee Room, Kingston, May 31, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the petition of Thos. Copley and others for a concrete sidewalk on the north side of Pine street from Patrick St. to Division St., be granted.

2. That the petition of C. McPherson for the removal of a tree on Earl street be referred to the Chairman and City Engineer with power to act.

3. That the petition of Mrs. Waburton for the removal of a tree in front of 318 Brock street be referred to the Chairman and City Engineer with power to act.

4. On the advice of the City Solicitor respecting the encroachment of Mr. R. A. Armstrong's building on Montreal street that the building be allowed to remain provided Mr. Armstrong acknowledges in writing his encroachment on the street and agrees to pay $5.00 a year so as to preserve the City's rights unimpaired.

5. That the City Engineer be authorized to engage the services of a diver to report on the condition of the M. T. Co's dock below the water level to which the extension of the Queen Street sewer is to be fixed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, Chairman.
R. E. KENT.
ROBT. J. FREE.
R. F. ELLIOTT.
J. S. R. McCANN.
C. J. GRAHAM.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott (5), that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted. Carried.

Water Works.

Ald. Carson presented the Report of the Committee on Waterworks, as follows:

Committee Room, Kingston, May 27, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the petition of Mrs. T. McCammon and others for a water service on Main street, between Ellice and Ann streets be granted if sufficiently signed.

2. That on the communication of Thos. McGuire, he be appointed caretaker for the balance of the year.

3. That on the communication of the Donnelly Wrecking Salvage Co., the recommendation of the City Solicitor be adopted and a sub-committee composed of the Chairman and Superintendent confer with the City Solicitor to carry his recommendation into effect.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. CARSON, Chairman.
D. COUPER.
T. J. RIGNEY.
D. J. MILLAN.
W. F. NICKLE.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Rigney (6), that the report of the Committee on Waterworks be received and adopted. Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Ross presented Report No. 57 of the Committee on Fire and Light, as follows:

Committee Room, Kingston, May 29, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the request of Jas. Swift and others for electric

light at the foot of Clarence street be not granted on account of no available funds for extra lights.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) A. E. ROSS, Chairman.
W. F. NICKLE,
H. N. ROBERTSON.
D. J. MILLAN.
C. J. GRAHAM.
H. ANGROVE.

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Robertson ,(7), that the report of the committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted. Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 58 of the Committee on Light, Heat and Power, as follows:

Committee Room, Kingston, May 29th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat & Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the account from R. Patterson for hay, for $22.98, be paid.

2. That the tender of McKelvey & Birch for locks for arc lights at $6.40 per dozen, be accepted being the lowest.

3. That the tender of Gartshore Thompson Pipe & Foundry Co., for pipe at $39.00 per ton, and special castings at $3.35 per hundred pounds be accepted.

4. That the tender of J. D. McArthur, Brockville for repairs to large belt at power house be accepted.

5. That the tender of the Canada General Electric Co. for refilling 60 k. w. Edison commutor be accepted.—Price $87.

6. That the following applicants for gas service on the streets where the gas mains have not been installed be granted, as they have complied with the requirements laid down by Council in Report No. 47, 1907 minutes:—

(a) On York street from corner of Division and York continuing down York street to Raglan Road, a distance of 961 feet.

(b) Albert street from Johnson to Earl, a distance of 663 feet.

(c) Johnson street from corner Albert and Johnson up Johnson to Nelson from corner Nelson and Johnson over Nelson towards Brock street, total distance 650 feet.

(d) From corner Union and Albert, out Union towards Collingwood street, distance 580 feet.

(e) Ordnance street from Clergy to Sydenham, distance 500 feet.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.
D. A. GIVENS.
T. J. RIGNEY.
D. COUPER.
JOHN GASKIN.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Couper, (8), that the report of the Committee on Light, Heat and Power be received and adopted. Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-Law No. 27.

The By-Law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Elliott in the chair.

BY-LAW NO. 27, 1907.

A By-Law to authorize the Construction of Cement or Concrete Sidewalks in the streets and parts of streets, set out in the schedule hereto anneed, in the City of Kingston, as local improvements under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

Passed June 3rd, 1907.

WHEREAS, in the opinion of two-thirds of the members present at a regular meeting of this Council it is desirable in the public interest that Cement or Concrete Sidewalks should be laid down on the streets and parts of streets in the City of Kingston severally set out in the schedule hereto annexed, as local improvements under the provisions of the Municipal Act.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, by an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members thereof, as follows:

1. Cement or Concrete Sidewalks shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as local improvements under the provisions of the said Acts to be paid for by several special assessments of the real property immediately benefited thereby liable to assessment except that part of the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, on the said streets and parts of streets in the schedule to this By-law hereto annexed, mentioned and described, which said Sidewalks shall be constructed according to plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by the City Engineer, and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said Sidewalks, except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loans hereinafter mentioned, and to meet the interest and principal of the debentures to be issued for the same, as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the said real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said several improvements and liable to be assessed according to the frontage of the said property, for a period to be hereinafter determined, but within the probable life of the said several improvements as shall be certified by the said City Engineer, which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law: but to enable this Council to avoid the necessity of making a supplementary assessment in any case, or a refund in case of an over-assessment in any case, such assessments

shall not be finally made until the exact cost of the said several improvements has been ascertained after the completion of the same, and in the meantime temporary loans shall be effected to meet such cost, as provided by law in such cases.

3. Upon the completion of the said several improvements and the ascertainment of the exact cost of each of the same, the City Engineer shall in respect of each of said improvements make measurements of the frontages of the real property exempt from taxation and of the frontages of the several lots or parcels of land liable to such rate with the names of the several owners thereof, so far as they can be ascertained from the last revised assessment roll, and he shall prepare a statement of the same in duplicate in respect of each of the said several improvements, and one of such duplicate statements in respect of each such improvement he shall file in his own office, and the statements filed in the City Clerk's office shall be open to inspection during office hours, and the said City Clerk shall forthwith on the filing of the said statement take the necessary proceeding for the revision of the same by the Court of Revision, and by the County Judge in case of appeal.

4. Upon the completion of the said several improvements the City Engineer shall ascertain their exactness, exclusive of the interest on the temporary loans aforesaid,and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council in respect of each such improvement shall be deducted from the cost so ascertained of such improvement and the interest on the temporary loan in respect of each such improvement having been added to the balance thus obtained in each case, the said several statements shall have been finally revised, shall be made for the said several amounts; and to repay the said several temporary loans and interests, the said amount shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation, which shall be issued upon the security of the said several special assessments and may be further guaranteed by this Council if it sees fit, as provided by law, and the necessary By-laws shall be passed for the said purposes.

5. The Council shall provide out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan to be raised upon debentures issued

for the purpose, as authorized by law, forty per cent. of the cost of the said improvement and also the cost of that part of the said sidewalk which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of Street intersections, and also the cost of that part of said Sidewalks which is opposite real property which is exempt from special or local assessment.

6. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, [L.S.]
Mayor.

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

SCHEDULE.

Street or Avenue.	Side.	From.	To.	The estimated cost of total improvements.	Portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality
Queen	S.	Wellington	King	$340 50	$169 20
King	W.	Queen	Princess	337 80	184 80
Arch	E.	Deacon	Stuart	302 75	154 70
Albert	W.	Mack	northerly 731¾	731 75	298 70

Ald. Gaskin presented By-Law No. 28.

BY-LAW NO. 28, 1907.

A By-Law to authorize the construction of a Common Sewer in a part of Aberdeen Street, in the City of Kingston, as a local improvement, under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

Passed June 3rd, 1907.

WHEREAS, the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston has received a petition sufficiently signed, according to the provisions of the said Act, praying for the constructon of a Common Sewer in that part of Aberdeen Street, Earl Street northerly 408½ feet, in the City of Kingston, as a local improvement as aforesaid, to be paid for by special assessment of the

real property immediately benefited thereby, and as hereinafter provided, and it is expedient to construct the said sewer as prayed;

AND WHEREAS, the estimated cost of the said improvement, including interest on the temporary loan to be raised in connection with its construction, as hereinafter provided, is $341.20, part of which cost, estimated at $91.20, is to be provided for by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, as required by law, but it is deemed advisable to defer making the special assessment for the part of the cost of the said sewer to be levied for by such assessment until the exact cost of the said work has been ascertained after its completion;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the said Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. A Common Sewer shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as a local improvement under the provision of the said Act, to be paid for by a special assessment of the lands immediately benefited thereby, ecept that part of the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, in the said part of Aberdeen Street hereinbefore in the recital to this By-Law mentioned and described, the said sewer to have a sectional area of 63.617 square inches, and to be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by the City Engineer, and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sewer, except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loan therefor hereinafter mentioned, and meet the interest and principal of the debentures to be issued for the same, as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said improvement, and liable to be assessed according to the frontage thereof for a period to be hereafter determined, but within the probable life of the said improvement,

as shall be certified by the City Engineer, which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law; but to enable this council to avoid the necessity of making a supplementary assessment or a refund in case of an over-assessment, such assessment shall not be made until the exact cost of the said improvement has been ascertained after its completion, and in the meantime a temporary loan shall be effected to meet such cost, except as aforesaid, as provided by law in such cases.

3. Upon the completion of the said improvement and the ascertainment of its exact cost, the City Engineer shall make measurements of the frontage of the real property liable to the said rate, of the frontages of the real property exempt from taxation, and of the frontages of the several lots or parcels of land liable to such rate, with the names of the owners thereof, so far as they can be ascertained from the last revised Assessment Roll, and he shall prepare a statement of the same in duplicate, and one of such duplicate statements he shall file in the office of the City Clerk, and the other he shall file in his own office, and the statement filed in the City Clerk's office shall be open to inspection during office hours, and the said City Clerk shall forthwith on the filing of the said statement take the necessary proceedings for the revision of the same by the Court of Revision and by the County Judge, in case of appeal, as required by law.

4. Upon the completion of the said impovement the City Engineer shall ascertain the exact cost of the said improvement, exclusive of the interest on the temporary loan aforesaid, and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council shall be deducted, and the interest on the temporary loan being added to the balance thus obtained, the said special assessment, after the statement aforesaid shall have been finally revised, shall be made thereon for the said amount and to repay the said temporary loan and interest the said amount shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation, which shall be issued on the security of the said special assessment, and may be further guaranteed by this council if it see fit, as provided by law, and the necessary By-law shall be passed for the said purposes.

5. This Council shall provide out of the general funds of

the Municipality, or by a loan to be raised upon debentures issued for the purpose, as authorized by law, the cost of all culverts and other works necessary for street surface drainage made in connection with the said sewer, and also the cost of that part of the said sewer, which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of street intersections, and also one-half of the cost of that part of the said sewer done or made opposite real property, if such property is but on one side of it, which by any general or special act is exempt from special or local assessment, and also the cost of the whole of that part of the said sewer done or made opposite real property, if such property is on both sides of it, which is so exempt from special or local assessment.

6. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading, Ald. Free in the chair.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Kent, that the committee of the whole rise and report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

Ald. Free reported progress and asked leave to sit again. Agreed.

Ald. Elliott presented By-Law No. 17, 1907.

The By-Law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended a second and third time the second being in the Committee of the Whole, Ald. Graham in the chair, was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 17, 1907.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 20, 1906.

Passed

WHEREAS by By-law No. 20, 1906, adopted by the ratepayers of this Municipality on 31st May, 1906, and passed by the Council on 18th June, 1906, authority is given to the Mayor to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the debentures of this Corporation the sum of $85,000 for the purposes in said By-law set forth;

AND WHEREAS by said By-law it is provided amongst other things that said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum from the date thereof and that for the payment of the said debt and interest to become due thereon an annual sum of $4,916.00 shall be raised by a special rate upon all the rateable property in said Municipality in each year of the period of thirty years, being the period of the currency of the said debentures;

AND WHEREAS the said debentures have not yet been issued, sold or otherwise disposed of;

AND WHEREAS owing to the advance in the rate of interest for money since the time of the passing of the said By-law, the debentures authorized to be issued by said By-law cannot be sold or disposed of except at a discount involving a substantial reduction in the amount required to be provided for and it is expedient to amend the said By-law for the purpose of providing for the payment of an increased rate of interest to wit, the rate of four and one-half per cent. per annum on the debt to be created by the issue of said debentures and for levying the amounts or rates necessary to pay such increased rate of interest in lieu of the rate of interest and the amounts or rates to pay the same provided for in the said By-law;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, subject to the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, as follows:—

1. Section 4 of said By-law No. 20 (1906) is amended by striking out the words "four" in said section and inserting in lieu thereof the words "four and one-half."

2. Section 5 of said By-law No. 20 (1906) is amended by striking out the figures "4,916.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "5,220.00."

3. This By-law shall come in force and take effect upon being approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council as by law provided.

Ald. Elliott presented By-law No. 19, 1907, for a third reading, and on motion of Ald. Elliott, this By-law passed the third reading.

Ald. Nickle presented By-law No. 20, 1907, for a third reading, and on motion of Ald. Nickle this By-law passed its third reading.

Ald. Elliott presented By-law No. 29, 1907.

BY-LAW NO. 29, 1907.

A By-law to close and stop up a portion of River Street in the City of Kingston, and to authorize the Council of the Corporation of the said City of Kingston to sell the same.

Passed 1907.

WHEREAS it is expedient and in the public interest to close and stop up that portion of River Street, in the City of Kingston, hereinafter particularly described and, and to authorize the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston to sell the same:

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:

1. That all that part or portion of River Street described as follows be and the same is hereby closed and stopped up as and for a public street or highway: to wit, all that part of River Street lying East of the East limit of Orchard Street to the waters of the Great River Cataraqui.

2. That the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston be and they are hereby authorized to sell that portion of River Street hereinbefore described.

3. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended, a second time, the second reading being in Committee of the Whole.

Ald. Rigney presented By-law No. 30.

The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended, a second, and third time, the second being in Committee of the Whole, Ald. Kent in the chair.

BY-LAW NO. 30, 1907.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 8 (1906).

Passed June 3rd, 1907.

WHEREAS by by-law No. 8 (1906), adopted by the ratepayers of this Municipality on 1st January, 1906, and passed by the Council on 8th January, 1906, authority is given to the Mayor to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the debentures of this Corporation the sum of $3,900 for the purposes in said by-law set forth;

AND WHEREAS by said By-law it is provided amongst other things that said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum from the date thereof and that for the payment of the said debt and interest to become due thereon an annual sum of $288 shall be raised by a special rate upon all the rateable property in said Municipality in each year of the period of twenty years, being the period of the currency of the said debentures;

AND WHEREAS the said debentures have not yet been issued, sold or otherwise disposed of;

AND WHEREAS owing to the advance in the rate of interest for money since the time of the passing of the said By-law, the debentures authorized to be issued by said By-law cannot be sold or disposed of except at a discount involving a substantial reduction in the amount required to be provided for and it is expedient to amend the said By-law for the purpose of providing for the payment of an increased rate of interest, to wit, the rate of four and one-half per cent. per annum on the debt to be created by the issue of said debentures and for levying the amounts or rates necessary to pay such increased rate of interest in lieu of the rate of interest and the amounts or rates to pay the same provided for in the said By-law;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, subject to the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, as follows:

1. Section 4 of said By-law No. 8 (1906) is amended by

striking out the words "four" in said section and inserting in lieu thereof the words "four and one-half."

2. Secton 5 of said By-law No. 8 (1906) is amended by striking out the figures "288" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "300."

3. This By-law shall come in force and take effect upon being approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council as by law provided.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, [L.S.]
Mayor.

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

MOTIONS.

TO SPRINKLE THE ROAD TO MILITARY CAMP GROUND.

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Gaskin (8), that the Board of Works be authorized to sprinkle, if necessary, the road leading to the camp grounds, situated on Barriefield Commons, during the time of the camp. Carried.

RE PROPERTY BETWEEN JOHNSON AND EARL STREETS.

Moved by Ald. W. F. Nickle, seconded by Ald. C. J. Graham (9), that the City Solicitor report fully to Council at its next meeting in regard to that tract of property between Johnson and Earl Streets and commonly known as the Mills property, more especially as to (a) the liability for maintenance of the streets laid out on the registered plan of said tract, (b) whether such liability would be varied by the construction of a local improvement sewer, (c) what portion of such expense, if any, would be borne by the city and such other facts as in his opinion would be of advantage to Council. Carried.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR RECEPTION OF PRINCE FUCHIMI. MEETING OF HISTORICAL SOCIETY, ETC.

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Robertson (10), that all arrangements for the reception of Prince Fushimi, meeting of

the Historical Society, and courtesies of the city to officers and men of Barriefield military camp be referred to Finance Committee for action. Carried.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Graham, seconded by Ald. McCann (11), that Council do now adjourn. Carried.

Council adjourned at 10 p.m.

City Clerk.

Kingston, June 17th, 1907.

The regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Couper, Craig, Douglass, Elliott, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, Henderson, Kent, Millan, Nickle, McCann, Rigney, Robertson, Toye.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Rigney (1), that the minutes of last meeting be adopted as printed.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

W. H. Miller, City Auditor, re number of patients in General Hospital and Hotel Dieu.

John McDonald, re $900 for the establishment of the department of domestic science.

C. Hoag re income tax for the year 1906.

S. A. Armstrong, inspector of Asylums, re list of patients in asylum.

W. W. Sands, re copy of resolution passed at a meeting of the Board of Health held June 11th, 1907.

BOARD OF WORKS.

The following persons objecting to construction of concrete walks:—J. W. Martin, walk on York street, south side, from Raglan Road easterly 187 feet.

Mrs. W. Frances, walk on Patrick street east side, from John to Charles streets.

Elizabeth H. Fowler, walk on Princess st, south side, from Ontario to King streets.

A. V. Matthews and others, walk on Rideau street, west side, from Cataraqui street northerly 655¼ feet.

John Laird, on Stanley street, north side from Division street to Lansdowne street.

Margaret Carter, on Mack street, north side, from Nelson street to Albert street.

A. V. Matthews, re drain on Division street (corner of Russell street).

D. Q. Leary, re macadam road metal for use on King and Johnson streets.

City Solicitor re Mills Tract on Aberdeen street.

WATER WORKS.

F. W. Spangenberg and R. Waldron re water supply for St. George's Cathedral.

Can. Oil Co., re supply of oil to the Kingston Waterworks.

J. B. Walkem on behalf of Humane Society asking for a drinking trough.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

John Elmer, Chief K.F.D. re meeting at Washington.

CITY PROPERTY.

Robert Wallace, re purchase of quarry lot.

B. S. Buck, re purchasing lot No. 60 Victoria street.

J. A. Scrivel, re purchasing lot on Nelson street.

COURT OF REVISION.

J. A. Ramsay, re assessment on income.

Smythe, King & Smythe, re taxes, Mrs. Jackson, 1907.

B. M. Britton, re assessment for business assessment.

Mary Ann Carter, applying for remission of taxes on account of vacancy.

George McCullock appealing against dog tax.

FYLED.

H. F. Leonard, acknowledging copy of Kingston By-laws.

C. J. Brown, acknowledging copy of Kingston By-laws.

S. Baker acknowledging copy of Kingston By-laws.

R. J. McClelland, asking for leave of absence to attend military camp at Barriefield.

C. J. Graham, re removal of two poles in front of his houses on the corner of Union and Division streets.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Craig, that the petition of Ald. C. J. Graham be referred to the Chairman of the Board of Works and City Engineer with power to act.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Givens, that the request of R. J. McClelland for two weeks leave of absence be granted.—Carried.

PETITIONS.

BOARD OF WORKS.

D. A. Shaw, re crossing on Brock street.

Thos. Thurlby and others for sewer on Ellerbeck street.

William Baker and others against the construction of a concrete walk on south side of Albert street between Earl street and Union street.

M. Sullivan and others for street watering on Rideau street from Bay to Raglan Road.

E. Dine and others for repairs to Barrie street between Raglan Road and Quebec street.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Givens presented report no 59 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, June 14, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the request of J. S. Gommer for rebate of dog tax for 1906 and cost be referred to the Court of Revision.

2. On the communication of T. R. Earngly asking the City to endow a bed in the Muskoka Free Hospital for consumptives, no action.

3. That eleven copies of the Kingston City Directory be ordered from Messrs. Guild & Hanson.

4. No action on the communication of the Union of Canadian Municipalities asking the City to join the Union and subscribe the annual fee of $60.00.

5. That the request of Queen's University asking to have the taxes amounting to $25.80 remitted on the property owned by them on Stuart St., be granted.

6. That the communication of A. Davis & Son, Ltd., asking the Council to extend the exemption from taxation for the present year, be referred to the Mayor and City Solicitor with power to act.

7. That the following accounts be paid:—

Board of Works.

Pay list ending June 12th	$ 859 22
C. P. R. Tel. Co	28
Lemmon & Sons	165 00
S. Grimshaw, labor and material, walks	84 50

Fire and Light.

Simmons Bros., peerless hose	$ 200 00
J. A. McFarlane, oats No. 1 station	18 45
W. Gilmour, repairs to hose wagon	9 65
Bell Telephone Co., supplies	1 20
W. P. Peters, hay No. 2 station	19 04
Extra help at Varney fire, W. Smith, 75c.; J. McAllister, 75c	1 50
W. P. Peters, oats No. 2 Station	20 00
The Northern Elec. Mfg. Co., zincs	15 00

Light, Heat and Power.

Dominion Government, Gas & Elec. inspection	$ 56 00
Pay list ending May 31st	1,465 62
Alex. Tait, excavating for gas holder	200 00
G. R. Tomlinson, supplies	2 99
H. Skinner & Co., supplies	2 10
A. McLean, tallow	60

L. W. Murphy, oats	5 00
The McCort Oil Co., gas oil	137 44
G. T. R., freight	55 71
The British Whig	18 00
D. J. McArthur & Co., repairing belt	32 09
Eugene Phillips, elec. works	149 16
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies	7 82
Lemmon & Sons, cement & supplies	69 40
John Corbett, supplies	76 98
Frontenac Lumber & Coal Co., lumber	9 99
Robinson Bros., glass	12 00
J. Paradis, board (line men)	5 00
Can. Locomotive Works, tempering springs	1 30
K. & P. & C. St. R.R., tickets	4 00
Queen City Oil Co., dynamo oil	10 04
Queen City Oil Co., dynamo oil	9 58
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., meters	119 70
Can. Gen. Elec. Co., supplies	2 86
Can. Meter Co., supplies	16 80
Can. Meter Co., supplies	14 40
Peter G. Wilmot, horse feed	6 70
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	223 32
S. Anglin & Co., screenings	24 80
Jas. Sowards, screenings	97 78
Dominion Government, duty & entry on gas holder	397 60
Booth & Co., screenings	47 88
Dominion Express Co	2 25
G. T. R., freight (4 bills)	6 94
Can. Express Co., (2 bills)	2 10

City Property.

J. Hamer, repairing scales (Haymarket)	$ 19 20
Kingston Coal Co.	18 90
F. Whitney, slabs	3 00
Shedden Co., teaming weights for hay scales	75
S. Anglin & Co., lumber for hay scales	1 30
F. Tracey, smithwork for hay scales	1 15

Imperial Laundry	51
Mrs. Eves, scrubbing	10 00

Parks.

Pay list ending June 12th	$ 56 62

Printing and Stationery.

Can. Freeman, Adv. Smelter By-law	$ 120 00

Industries.

G. N. W. Tel. Co.	35

Police Department.

C. Livingston, uniform (Arniel)	$ 25 00
W. M. Baillie, sundry small bills	13 13

Board of Health.

The British Whig	$ 12 00

Contingencies.

K. & P. R.R., pauper passage	$ 3 15
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps (Collector)	5 00
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps (City Clerk)	5 00
C. H. Otto, supplies (consolidation of By-laws)	2 50

Miscellaneous.

Dominion Government, rent Clarence St. park	$ 1 00
City Registry, conveyances City Assessor	2 05
Delivering tax demands	13 00
Frances Laird, typewriting to June 17th	8 00

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Kent, (4) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be adopted with clause 1 withdrawn.—Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor and Chairman.

D. A. GIVENS.
R. E. KENT.
W. G. CRAIG.
R. F. ELLIOTT.
T. J. RIGNEY.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 60 from the Board of Works as follows:—

REPORT NO. 1.

Committee Room, Kingston, June 13, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the request of Mrs. M. Conroy for the removal of two trees on Alfred street be referred to the Chairman and Engineer with power to act.

2. On the communication of Smythe, King & Smythe on behalf of Messrs. Carrington, Anglin and others asking that before River street is closed from Orchard street to the water another street be opened over the land still reserved by the City immediately south of the lots proposed to be conveyed to the Zinc Smelting Co., your Committee recommend that a 24 foot street be laid out from Orchard street to the water immediately adjoining the land to be conveyed to the Zinc Smelting Co.

3. That on the recommendation of the City Engineer tenders be obtained for an extra street watering wagon.

4. That tenders be obtained for 3000 square feet of canvas for covering up the concrete walks during construction.

5. That the communication of F. Conway on behalf of the K. & P. Railway Co., asking that the road between their freight office and the railway track be watered twice daily during the season be referred to the Chairman and City Engineer with power to act.

REPORT NO. 2.

That the wages to be paid to the concrete gang, that is, those working on the mixing platforms in connection with the

construction of concrete walks, be 20 cents an hour or $1.80 for 9 hour day, to date from Monday, June 10th.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, Chairman.
R. E. KENT.
C. J. GRAHAM.
R. F. ELLIOTT.
J. S. R. McCANN.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott (5), that reports Nos. 1 and 2 of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald Toye presented report No. 61 from the Committee on Light, Heat and Power as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, June 12th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the tender of the Can. Meter Co., for 5 light gas meters at $6.50 each in orders of not less than eighteen in one shipment, be accepted.

2. That tenders for the year's supply of coal and petroleum be obtained.

3. That the tender of Wm. Cockburn for boiler room doors be accepted, price $39.00.

4. That Mr. Campbell's report re sign lighting be adopted as follows:

"The Toronto Electric Light Co. does not make any special rates for sign lighting but charge eight cents per K.W. hour, their usual rate. No restrictions are made in regard to the time in which the signs may be used. Providing our consumers will agree not to use the signs between the hours of 4 and 6 p.m. during the months of November, December, January, February,

and March, I would recommend making a rate of six cents per K.W. hour, providing a reasonable amount of current is used. This light would be required to be installed on a separate meter, and the current should be used for exterior sign lighting only."

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.
JOHN GASKIN.
D. A. GIVENS.
G. Y. CHOWN.
T. J. RIGNEY.
D. COUPER.
H. DOUGLAS.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Givens (6) that the report of the Committee on Light, Heat & Power be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Angrove presented report No. 62 from the Committee City Property and Markets, as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, June 12th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gntlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the locating of a site for electric advertising sign on the City Buildings be referred to a special committee consisting of the Chairman, Ald. Toye, J. M. Campbell, and the City Engineer.

2. That the tenders of Robinson Bros, $565.00 for painting the interior of the main entrances and corridors of the City Buildings be accepted.

3. That the verandahs on the market side of the City Buildings be removed and that the tender of W. J. Nesbitt to pay $11.00 for the old material be accepted.

4. That the exterior of the City Buildings and the interior of the Police lobby be painted and repaired by day labor and that a

special committee consisting of the Chairman, Ald. Free, Douglas and the City Engineer be appointed to see the work carried out.

5. On the communication from the Committee on Industry, that the tenants of the Smelter site be given notice to vacate immediately as the Stanley Smelting Co. are ready to commence the erection of their smelter.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) H. ANGROVE, Chairman.
C. J. GRAHAM.
D. COUPER.
R. F. ELLIOTT.
H. DOUGLAS.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Couper, (7) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 29 which was read a first and second time on June 3rd, 1907. The By-law was read a third time, passed and signed and sealed.

Ald. Rigney presented By-law No. 31. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended a second and third time, the second being in committee as a whole, Ald. Henderson in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 31, 1907.

A By-law to extend to the 31st December, 1906 the operation of By-law No. 61, 1904, partially exempting from municipal taxation the Tannery of Messrs. Davis & Sons.

Passed, June 17th, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston by a two thirds vote of the members thereof as follows:

1. The operation of By-law No. 61, 1904, passed on the 5th day of December, 1904 entitled "A By-law to extend to the

31st December, 1904 the operation of two certain By-laws exempting Joseph Carrington's Tannery and to make the same applicable to the said Tannery as now owned and occupied by Messrs. Davis & Sons" is hereby extended to December 31st, 1906.

2. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]
ERNEST R. BECKWITH, Acting City Clerk.

MOTONS.

RE PETITIONS AGAINST CONSTRUCTION OF CONCRETE WALKS.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Kent (8) that all petitions received by the City Clerk up till June 27th against the construction of concrete walks be referred direct to the Board of Works Committee with power to act.—Carried.

RE COST OF ELECTRICITY AT SWITCH BOARD.

Moved by W. F. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Douglas (9) that if within the scope of his engagement Mr. Campbell be requested by the Light, Heat & Power Committee to furnish Council as speedily as possible with a report showing the estimated cost at the switch board of electricity—

(a) Under the proposed waterpower development of the Ontario Government.

(b) Under steam production after the contemplated changes now in progress are completed.

(c) Under the gas producer system.

(d) An estimate of the feasibility and sum required to adapt our present plant to systems (a) and (c).

(e) And such further or other information as to the development and distribution of electrical energy as in his judgment will enable Council to best determine what methods should be adopted for the cheapening of power.

If the above information is not within the scope of his employment to find out how much such a report from Mr. Campbell would cost.—Carried.

RE COST OF PRUNING THE SHADE TREES.

Moved by W. F. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Chown (10) that the City Engineer report to Council the advisability and estimated cost of properly pruning the shade trees lining the City streets, and from which branches have been cut to permit of the stringing of wires, and otherwise.—Carried.

RE ADJOURNMENT OF COUNCIL.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Elliott (11) that when this Council adjourns this evening it stand adjourned until the regular meeting on the 7th of October and that the City Treasurer be authorized to pay all accounts signed by the Chairmen of the Standing Committees and certified correct by the Auditor.—Carried.

RE CIVIC HOLIDAY.

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Gaskin (12) that Monday, July 29th be Kingston Civic Holiday and that the Mayor be authorized to issue the annual notice.—Carried.

RE WATERWORKS COAL SUPPLY.

Moved by W. F. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Chown (13) that tenders for the year's supply of coal for the waterworks be obtained at the same time as those of the Light Department.—Carried.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Carson (14) that Council now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10 p.m.

City Clerk.

Kingston, June 28th, 1907.

A special meeting of the City Council was held this evening His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present:—Ald. Carson, Couper, Craig, Douglas, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, McCann, Millan, Nickle, Rigney, Robertson, and Toye.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Rev. Father Mea applying for refund of $50.70 less 2%, same being taxes on lot in front of the Hotel Dieu Hospital.

Francis King applying against the demand of payment of dog tax of $1.00.

R. Meek, Secretary of the House of Industry Board, enclosing memo of the proposed agreement between the County Council and the City Council with regard to the admission of the poor of the County to the refuge of the city.

PETITIONS.

Joseph Roadley and others for concrete sidewalk on west side of Frontenac street between Johnson and Earl.

REPORTS.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 63 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, June 20th, '07.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen.—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the petition of M. Sullivan and others for street watering on Rideau street from Bay to Raglan Road be not granted this year it being impracticable to extend the street watering area with the present facilities for doing this work.

2. That the following petitions against the construction of concrete walks be granted if certified by the Assessor as sufficiently signed.

(a) Petition of Wm. Baker and others against the walk on Albert street, east side from Union to Earl street.

(b) Petition of Wm. Newman and others against the walk on Beverley street, east side from King to the northerly limit of lot No. 20.

(c) Petition of Richard Savage and others against the walk on Quebec street, south side from Division to Patrick street.

(d) Petition of E. J. B. Pense, M.P.P., against walk on Garrett street, north side from Division, westerly 136 feet.

(e) Petition of Canadian Locomotive Company, Limited, against the walk on William street, south side from Ontario, easterly 62 feet.

3. That the Chairman and Engineer be authorized to accept the lowest tender for canvas for covering concrete walks.

4. That the Chairman and Engineer be authorized to accept the lowest tender for the laying of Queen street sewer extension, and for timber wales provided the cost does not exceed the estimated cost of the proposed work.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, Chairman.
R. J. FREE.
C. J. GRAHAM.
ROBERT HANLEY.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Graham (1) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 32, 1907.

The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended the second and third time, the second being in the committee of the whole, Ald. Hanley in the chair, was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 32, 1907.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 8, 1907.

Passed June 28th, 1907.

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. By-law No. 8, (1907) is hereby amended by adding the following subsections to Section 1.

32. King street west, from the west side of Albert street to the west side of Beverley street.

33. Union street, from the east side of Alfred street to the west side of Collingwood street.

2. That all the provisions of said By-law No. 8, 1907, shall apply to the collection of the amounts collectable in respect of the said areas except that the said amounts shall become due and be payable within fourteen days after a demand shall have been served upon the person chargeable.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.

[L. S.]

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

Ald. Givens presented By-law No. 33, 1907.

The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended the second and third time, the second being in the committee of the whole Ald. McCann in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 33, 1907.

A By-law to repeal By-law No. 17, 1907.

Passed June 28th, 1907.

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. By-law No. 17, 1907, and By-law No. 30, 1907 are hereby repealed.

2. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]
W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

Ald. Rigney presented By-law No. 34, 1907.

The By-law was read the first time, and the 31st rule being suspended the second and third time, the second being in the committee of the whole, Ald. Millan in the chair, was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 34, 1907.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 8, 1907.

Passed June 28th, 1907.

WHEREAS by By-law No. 8, 1906, adopted by the ratepayers of this Municipality on 1st January, 1906, and passed by the Council on 8th January, 1906, authority is given to the Mayor to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the debentures of this Corporation the sum of $3,900 for the purposes in said By-law set forth:

AND WHEREAS by said By-law it is provided amongst other things that said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent per annum from the date thereof and that for the payment of the said debt and interest to become due thereon an annual sum of $288 shall be raised by a special rate upon all the rateable property in said Municipality in each year of the period of twenty years, being the period of the currency of the said debentures:

AND WHEREAS the said debentures have not yet been issued, sold or otherwise disposed of;

AND WHEREAS owing to the advance on the rate of interest for money since the time of the passing of the said By-law, the debentures to be issued by said By-law cannot be sold or disposed of except at a discount involving a substantial reduction in the amount required to be provided for and it is expedient to amend the said By-law for the purpose of providing for the pay-

ment of an increased rate of interest, to wit, the rate of four and one-half per cent. per annum on the debt to be created by the issue of said debentures and for levying the amounts or rates necessary to pay such increased rate of interest in lieu of the rate of interest and the amounts or rates to pay the same provided for in the said By-law.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, subject to the approval of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board as follows:

1. Section 4 of said By-law No. 8, 1906, is amended by striking out the word "four" in said Section and inserting in lieu thereof the words "four and one-half."

2. Section 5 of said By-law No. 8, 1906 is amended by striking out the figures "288" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "300".

3. This By-law shall come in force and take effect upon being approved by the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board as by law provided.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]
W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

Ald. Nickle presented By-law No. 35, 1907.

The By-law was read the first time and the 31st rule being suspended the second and third time, the second being in the committee of the whole, Ald. Rigney in the chair, was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 35, 1907.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 20, 1906.

Passed June 28th, 1907.

WHEREAS by By-law No. 20, 1906 adopted by the ratepayers of this Municipality on 31st May, 1906, and passed by the Council on 18th June, 1906, authortiy is given to the Mayor to raise by way of loan on the credit of the debentures of this Corporation the sum of $85,000 for the purposes in said By-law set forth:

AND WHEREAS by said By-law it is provided amongst other things that said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum from the date thereof and that for the payment of the said debt and interest to become due thereon an annual sum of $4,916.00 shall be raised by a special rate upon all the rateable property in said Municipality in each year of the period of thirty years, being the period of the currency of the said debentures:

AND WHEREAS the said debentures have not yet been issued, sold or otherwise disposed of:

AND WHEREAS owing to the advance in the rate of interest for money since the time of the passing of the said By-law, the debentures authorized to be issued by said By-law cannot be sold or disposed of except at a discount involving a substantial reduction in the amount required to be provided for and it is expedient to amend the said By-law for the purpose of providing for the payment of an increased rate of interest, to wit, the rate of four and one-half per cent per annum on the debt to be created by the issue of said debentures and for levying the amounts or rates necessary to pay such increased rate of interest in lieu of the rate of interest and the amount of rates to pay the same provided for in the said By-law.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, subject to the approval of The Ontario Railway and Municipal Board as follows:—

1. Section 4 of said By-law No. 20, 1906, is amended by striking out the word "four" in said section and inserting in lieu thereof the words "four and one-half."

2. Section 5 of said By-law No. 20, 1906 is amended by striking out the figures "4,916.00" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "5,220.00."

3. This By-law shall come in force and take effect upon being approved by the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board as by law provided.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.

[L. S.]

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

Ald. Craig presented By-law No. 36, 1907.

The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended the second and third time, the second being in the committee of the whole, Ald. Nickle in the chair, was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 36, 1907.

A By-law to ratify and confirm a certain agreement.

Passed June 28th, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. The annexed agreement forming schedule (A) hereto is hereby ratified and confirmed so far as such ratification and confirmation by this Council may be necessary to its validity, provided that all the rights and liabilities purporting thereby to be vested in and imposed upon the City of Kingston shall be vested in and imposed upon the Board of Inspectors of the House of Industry and no liability under said agreement shall be imposed upon this Corporation by said agreement.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.

[L. S.]

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

SCHEDULE "A."

MEMO OF AGREEMENT.

Between the County Council, of the County of Frontenac, and the City Council, of the City of Kingston, respecting the care of the poor of the county in the city's refuge:

1. The House of Industry in the City, shall be a refuge of the County, for the care, maintenance, and protection of its poor.

2. The County Council shall see that an allowance of $1.50 per week is paid for each person who is sent to the refuge from the County, on the authority of some one named in this memo of agreement.

3. The applicants for admission shall be medically examined by some physician on behalf of the County, and to be appointed by resolution of the Council, and such physician shall certify that

he (or she, as the case may be) is eligible for residence in the institution, being sane, free from contagious or infective disease. The physician to be in attendance also upon the County inmates when ill, and to be re-imbursed for his services by the County Council according to such an arrangement as it may make with him.

4. Applicants from the County, without the requisition of the Reeve, are to be referred to the one who is authorized to act on behalf of the County Council, and who will be either satisfied that the applicant is a resident of the county and so entitled to its care, or make such investigation as will remove all doubt upon the question and warrant the admission to, or continuance of the inmate in the House of Refuge.

5. The charge of $1.50 per week to begin with the residence of the person in the refuge, and to be charged up at this rate, if the inmate is removed after a time for any cause.

6. The County Council, or its representative, to be responsible for any clothing which its poor may require at their entrance to the refuge, or during their continuance as inmates of it afterwards: the County's representative to order or authorize the amount in all cases.

7. The County not to be responsible for the management of the institution, or for its financial obligations in any way. This agreement shall effect the admission of the County's poor only, on the terms and conditions which are herewith set forth.

8. The account for the maintenance of the County's poor to be rendered to the County monthly, addressed to the County Clerk, and reports to be sent to the County Council at its June session concerning the movements of the inmates of the refuge so far as the County's poor are concerned.

9. This memo to become effective as soon as it has been adopted by the County Council and the City Council, and put in legal form and sealed and signed by the Warden and County Clerk on behalf of the County, and by the Mayor and City Clerk on behalf of the House of Industry.

10. This agreement to continue for one year from date of signing, and to be then renewed or revised as circumstances may suggest.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 37, 1907.

The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended the second and third time, the second being in the committee of the whole, Ald. Robertson in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 37, 1907.

A By-law to authorize the construction of Cement or Concrete sidewalks in the streets and parts of streets, set out in the schedule hereto annexed, in the City of Kingston, as local improvements under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

Passed, June 28th, 1907.

WHEREAS in the opinion of two-thirds of the members present at a meeting of this Council it is desirable in the public interest that cement or concrete sidewalks should be laid down on the streets and parts of streets in the City of Kingston severally set out in the schedule hereto annexed, as local improvements under the provisions of the Municipal Act.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, by an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members thereof as follows:

1. Cement or concrete sidewalks shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as local improvements under the provisions of the said acts, to be paid for by several special assessments of the real property immediately benefited thereby liable to assessment except that part of the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, on the said streets and parts of streets in the schedule to this By-law hereto annexed, mentioned and described, which said sidewalks shall be constructed according to plans and specifications by the City Engineer, and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sidewalks, except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loans hereinafter mentioned, and to meet the interest and principal of the deben-

tures to be issued for the same, as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the said real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said several improvements and liable to be assessed according to the frontage of the said property, for a period to be hereinafter determined, but within the probable life of the said several improvements as shall be certified by the said City Engineer, which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law: but to enable this Council to avoid the necessity of making a supplementary assessment in any case, or a refund in case of an over assessment in any case, such assessment shall not be finally made until the exact cost of the said several improvements has been ascertained after the completion of the same, and in the meantime temporary loans shall be effected to meet such cost, as provided by law in such case.

3. Upon the completion of the said several improvements and the ascertainment of the exact cost of each of the same, the City Engineer, shall in respect of each of said improvements, make measurements of the frontages of the real property exempt taxation and of the frontages of the several lots or parcels of land liable to such rate with the names of the several owners thereof, so far as they can be ascertained from the last revised Assessment Roll, and he shall prepare a statement of the same in duplicate in respect of each of the said several improvements and one of such duplicate statements in respect of each such improvement he shall file in his own office, and the statements filed in the City Clerk's office shall be open to inspection during office hours, and the City Clerk shall forthwith on the filing of the said statements take the necessary proceedings for the revision of the same by the Court of Revision, and by the County Judge in case of appeal.

4. Upon the completion of the said several improvements the City Engineer shall ascertain their exactness, exclusive of the interest on the temporary loans aforesaid, and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council in respect of each such improvements shall be deducted from the cost so ascertained of such improvement and the interest on the temporary loan in re-

spect of each such improvement having been added to the balance thus obtained in each case, the said several statements shall have been finally revised, shall be made for the said several amounts: and to repay the said several temporary loans and interests, the said amount shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation, which shall be issued upon the security of the said several special assessments and may be further guaranteed by this Council if it sees fit, as provided by law, and the necessary By-laws shall be passed for the said purpose.

5. The Council shall provide out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan to be raised upon debentures issued for the purpose, as authorized by law, forty per cent. of the cost of the said improvement and also the cost of that part of the said sidewalk which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of street intersections, and also the cost of that part of said sidewalks which is opposite real property which is exempt from special or local assessment.

6. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, Mayor.
[L. S.]
W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

SCHEDULE "A."

	The estimated cost of total improvements.	Portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality.
Bagot St., east side, from Johnson northerly 44 ft.	$ 44 00	$ 40 85
Bagot St., east side, from William to Johnson		296 00
Bagot St., east side, from William to Earl.....	301 00	144 00
Bagot St., west side, from Queen northerly 61 ft..	73 00	36 40
Bagot St., west side, from Bay to Ordnance.....	335 25	163 50
Bagot St., west side, from Bay to North.....	276 00	150 00
Brock St., south side, from Clergy to Barrie.....	414 00	252 00
Cataraqui St., north side, from Orchard west'y 183 ft	152 00	64 16
Charles St., south side, from Bagot to Montreal..	194 40	113 80
Cherry St., west side, from Quebec to Pine	184 00	84 16
Cherry St., east side, from Pine to Quebec.....	190 60	91 24
Clergy West, south side, from Division westerly 130 feet	130 00	52 00
Colborne St., south side, from Barrie to Chapman	412 00	175 60
Colborne St., south side, from Clergy to Barrie..	412 00	221 20

	The estimated cost of total improvements.	Portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality.
Concession St., south side, from Division westerly 265 ft. west of Lansdowne	430 40	193 76
Division St., west side, from Earl northerly 80 ft.	72 00	55 60
Division St., east side, from Brock to Princess...	402 00	186 60
Division St., east side, from Pine northerly 697 ft.	584 00	249 44
Division St., west side, from York to Sixth.....	258 00	108 60
Division St., west side, from York to Pine	410 00	177 20
Earl St., south side, from Albert to Frontenac...	344 00	242 30
Earl St., south side, from Division west'ly 458¾ ft.	410 00	189 80
Gore St., north side, from Ontario to King.....	277 00	140 20
Hickson Ave, north side, 33 ft. east of easterly limit of Lot 4, westerly to the K. & P. R..	828 80	350 72
James St., north side, from Montreal to Patrick..	440 00	185 12
Johnson St., north side, from Wellington to Bagot	332 25	156 90
Johnson St., north side, from Ontario westerly 194¾ feet	223 75	105 10
Johnson St., south side, from Wellington to Bagot	382 00	312 40
Johnson St., south side, from King to Wellington.	334 75	193 90
King St., east side, from Barrack to Queen.....	270 75	231 00
Markland St., south side, from Montreal westerly 347 feet	291 20	124 64
Montreal St., west side, from James to Stephen..	760 00	527 80
Montreal St., east side, from Rideau northerly 976 ft	882 00	390 60
Montreal St., west side, from Princess to Brock..	334 80	186 48
Montreal St., west side, from Queen northerly 197½ ft.	197 50	106 60
Mack St., north side, from Nelson to Albert	236 00	135 20
Main St., west side, from Colborne to Ann.....	350 10	174 06
Main St., south side, from Division easterly 359 ft.	316 80	144 48
Nelson St., west side, from Princess northerly 509½ feet	517 00	211 30
Ontario St., west side, from West to Union.....	570 00	247 80
Ontario St., west side, from Brock to Princess..	319 20	202 55
Ontario St., east side, from Queen to Barrack....	265 75	112 30
Orchard St., west side, from Cataraqui northerly 293½ feet	193 50	142 60
Ordnance St., south side, from Clergy to Sydenham	425 00	203 15
Patrick St., east side, from John to Charles.....	292 00	131 20
Patrick St., west side, from Pine to Quebec.....	180 80	79 04
Princess St., south side, from Ontario to King..	406 80	199 44
Raglan Rd., north side, from Patrick to Montreal.	684 80	288 32
Raglan Rd., north side, from York to Barrie.....	340 80	150 72
Raglan Rd., south side, from Barrie to Patrick...	260 00	119 36
Redan St., east side, from Balaclava northerly 219 ft	210 40	105 28
Rideau St., west side, from Cataraqui northerly 655½ feet	534 00	219 36
Sydenham St., east side, from Raglan Rd. to Bay.	387 20	181 76
Stuart St., north side, from University Ave. westerly 607½ ft.	610 50	275 40
Union St., south side, from King westerly 190 ft.	199 00	85 00
Union St., south side, from University to Alfred..	382 50	201 90

	The estimated cost of total improvements.	Portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality.
Victoria St., west side, from Princess southerly 652 ft. south of Park St.	956 00	432 80
Vine St., east side, from Ellice to Ann	196 00	90 40
Vine St., west side, from Ellice to Raglan Rd.	299 20	129 28
West St., south side, from King easterly 122 ft.	97 60	70 72
William St., north side, from Bagot easterly 245 ft.	245 00	140 30
York St., south side, from Raglan Rd. easterly 187 ft.	160 00	70 24
York St., south side, from Raglan Rd. west'y 532 ft.	416 00	166 40
York St., north side, from Division to Cherry	310 40	139 64
York St., west side, from Division to Chatham	485 60	229 76

MOTIONS.

TO GRANT PETITION OF JOSEPH ROADLEY AND OTHERS.

Moved by Ald. Free, seconded by Ald. Douglas (2) that the petition of Joseph Roadley and others for a concrete walk on Frontenac street, west side, between Johnson and Earl be granted if certified by the Assessor as sufficiently signed.—Carried.

TO ORDER WATERING CARTS.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Robertson (3) that the watering carts required by the city be ordered forthwith and delivery of the same secured at the earliest moment.—Carried.

TO REPLACE FENCE AT FAIR GROUNDS.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Nickle (4) that the fence around the Fair Grounds be repaired and the City Property Committee be given power to act in the matter.—Carried.

RE WATERING PARKS AND GROUND AT COURT HOUSE.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Millan (5) that the Chairman of the Committees on Waterworks, Parks and Fire and Light make arrangements for watering the parks, and ground at the Court House by the Firemen.—Carried.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Graham (6) this Council will now adjourn.

Council adjourned at 9.30 p.m.

City Clerk.

KINGSTON, Aug. 28th, 1907.

A special meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Cooper, Douglas, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Millan, Nickle, Rigney, Robertson, Ross, Toye.

TO APPOINT CHAIRMAN.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Givens, (1) that Ald. Toye be appointed Chairman.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

1. Wm. Hall, solicitor for Mrs. Mary Bell, *re* action for damages on account of death of her son by drowning.

2. From the Secretary of the League of American Municipalities asking Council to send a delegate to the National Convention at Norfolk, Va., Sept. 18, 19 and 20th.

3. R. V. Rogers, for George D. Ferguson, asking the exemption granted to householders.

BOARD OF WORKS.

The Secretary L. Union 221 asking if Kingston has a plumbing inspector, and if so to enforce the by-law.

Noel Kent, asking for the removal of trees on the corner of George and Elm streets.

From Franklin Clow, asking for the removal of trees from the corner of King and Lower Gordon.

From James McCulla, asking to have drainage from the upper part of Bay street.

From H. C. Nickle, to have three trees removed at the rear of his property.

D. H. Marshall, *re* enclosure of fence on property on Centre street.

Mrs. Mundell, *re* removal of trees on Arch street.

R. J. Carson, *re* removal of trees 177, 179 Alfred street.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

From the Secretary International Association of Fire Engineers asking to send the Chief to the meeting held at Washington, October 8th to 11th.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

From Joseph Silver, asking for electric light for his residence.

City Auditor, showing number of patients in the hospitals, Aug. 20th.

Secretary of the Ontario Historical Society enclosing a resolution of thanks for the reception given them in Kingston.

From E. R. Beckwith, City Engineer, asking for leave of absence for 30th and 31st inst.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Nickle, that the request of the City Engineer for leave of absence be granted.—Carried.

PETITIONS.

J. MacGillivray and others asking for a granolithic walk from Union to the head of Alice.

A. H. Blackaby and others asking to have trees removed so as to afford the building of a granolithic walk on Earl street.

Maria Spencer and others asking for a concrete walk on the west side of Redan street.

D. W. Truedell and others asking for a concrete walk on Chestnut street.

John Peters and others asking for a concrete walk on Victoria street.

Noel Kent and others asking for a concrete walk on George St.

From the boys of Frontenac Park asking to be allowed to play ball in that park.

REPORTS.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 64 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, August 28, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the following petitions be granted for concrete sidewalks they having been certified by the Assessor, as sufficiently signed.

2. Petition of Thomas Copley and others for a concrete sidewalk on Pine St., north side, from Division St. to Patrick St.

Petition of John D. Boyd and others for a concrete sidewalk on Pine St., south side, from Patrick St. to Division St.

3. That the tender of Alexander Tait for delivering broken stone from the Penitentiary to King, Johnson and Union streets be accepted, the price being $2.25 per toise, and in case Mr. Tait fails to carry out his contract satisfactorily, your Committee be authorized to cancel the contract and to make other arrangements.

4. That owing to the lowest tender for laying the extension of the Queen street sewer along the side of the M. T. Co.'s dock being too high, your Committee has obtained permission from the M. T. Co. to lay the pipe in the centre of the dock, this plan be adopted and that the work be done by day labor and that Mr. Hewitt be requested to take full charge of the work, except the engineering; also that the Chairman, Mr. Hewitt and the City Engineer be authorized to obtain any necessary materials required in carrying out the work.

5. That Mr. T. W. Nash, Provincial Land Surveyor, be engaged to lay out Adelaide street and to define the boundaries of the city lots on Patrick St. and Adelaide St.

6. That no action be taken on the petition of E. Dine and others asking for repairs to Barrie street, between Raglan Road and Patrick street.

7. That on the report of the City Engineer the concrete walk, authorized to be built on the south side of Earl street from Division street westerly 458 3-4 feet cannot be constructed, owing to the position of the shade trees, your Committee be authorized to take the proper action for the removal of the trees as defined by the City by-laws, or arrange with the property owners for placing the walk inside.

8. That, as Mr. Tait has failed to fulfil his contract for supplying broken stone as required by the City, your Committee be authorized to purchase stone, subject to the opinion of the City Solicitor, as will be required during the remainder of the present year.

9. That the stone crusher owned by the City be repaired and put in working order and that the tender of the Kingston Foundry Co. to do the work for $30.00 be accepted.

10. That the matter of moving the fences on Centre street so

that the concrete walk can be built, be referred to the Chairman, City Solicitor and City Engineer to arrange with the property owners.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, *Chairman,*
ROBT. J. FREE,
C. J. GRAHAM,
R. E. KENT.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Graham, that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted as amended. —Carried.

Water Works.

Ald. Carson presented report No. 65 from the Committe on Water Works as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Aug. 28, 1907.

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the tender of James Swift & Co. for soft coal screenings at $3.15 per ton, being the lowest, be accepted.

2. That James Swift & Co. be paid the sum of $584.98 for 185 tons 1,415 lbs. soft coal screenings, as per tender.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. CARSON, *Chairman,*
W. F. NICKLE,
T. J. RIGNEY,
W. J. CRAIG,
D. COUPER.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Nickle, that the report of the Water Works be accepted and adopted.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Givens presented the report No. 66 from the Committee on Light, Heat and Power as follows:—

Committee Room, Kingston, Aug. 28, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:—

Gentlemen:—The Committee on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the tender of the Queen City Oil Co. for the year's supply of gas oil at 5.85 cents. per Imperial gallon be accepted, being the lowest.

2. That the application for gas extension up Johnson street, from corner of Johnson and Nelson, towards Collingwood, 175 feet, be granted, having been sufficiently signed.

3. That the old pipe supplying Bajus brewery be replaced by a new one, the old one being unfit for use.

4. That Mr. Campbell be authorized to purchase one thousand pounds of galvanized guy wire at $50.45 from the Dominion Wire Co., and one set of brushes and segments at $34.25 from the Canada General Electric Co.

5. That the Chairman, J. M. Campbell, Manager, and the City Engineer are appointed to determine the amount that shall be paid to Alex. Tait for extra work on the excavation and concrete work in the gas holder and that the Treasurer shall pay the same upon receipt of signed certificate by the above named Committee, countersigned by the Auditor.

6. That the K. & P. R.R. Co. be paid the sum of $48.14 for freight on sawdust.

7. That the tender for the year's supply of coal be awarded to R. Crawford as follows:—

Hard coal screenings at $2.50 per ton.
Soft coal screenings at $3.19 per ton.
Buck Mountain coal at $5.73 per ton.
The above being the lowest tenders.

8. That the Canada General Electric Co be paid the sum of $62.05 for arc lamp parts.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, *Chairman*,
JOHN GASKIN,
D. A. GIVENS,
GEO. CHOWN,
D. COUPER,
T. J. RIGNEY,
H. DOUGLAS.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Chown, that the report of the Light, Heat and Power Committee be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 38, 1907. The by-law was read the first time and the third rule being suspended, a second and third time, the second being in committee as a whole, Ald. Robertson in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW No. 38, 1907.

A By-law to authorize the construction of Artificial Stone sidewalks in the streets and parts of streets in the City of Kingston set out in the schedule hereto annexed, as local improvements, under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

Passed August 28th, 1907.

Whereas, the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston has received petitions sufficiently signed, according to the provisions of the said Act, praying for the construction of the several sidewalks on the streets and parts of streets in the City of Kingston, set out in the schedule hereto annexed, as local improvements, sixty per cent. of the cost thereof and in connection with the said improvements to be paid for by special assessment on the real property immediately benefitted thereby and the remaining forty per cent. of said cost to be provided by said Municipality and as hereinafter provided, and it is expedient to construct the said sidewalks as prayed;

And Whereas, the estimated cost of the said several sidewalks, including interest on the several temporary loans to be raised in connection with the construction of the same as hereinafter provided, is as set out in Column 5 of said Schedule, part of which cost, estimated at the several sums set out in Column 6 of said Schedule, is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, as required by law, but it is deemed advisable to defer making the several special assessments for the part of the cost of the said several Sidewalks to be levied by such assessment until the exact cost of the said several sidewalks has been ascertained after the completion of the same;

Be it Therefore Enacted by the said Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston by an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members thereof, as follows:

1. Artificial Stone Sidewalks shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as local improvements under the provision of the said Act, to be paid for by several special assessments of the lands immediately benefitted by each such improvement, except that part of

the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, in the said streets and parts of streets in the Schedule to this By-law mentioned and described, which said sidewalks shall be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by the City Engineer, and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sidewalks, except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loans therefor hereinafter mentioned, and to meet the interest and principle of the debentures to be issued for the same, as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levid on the real property immediately benefitted by the said construction of the said several improvements, and liable to be assessed, according to the frontage thereof, for a period in each case to be hereinafter determined, but within the probable life of the said several improvements, as shall be certified by the City Engineer, which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law; but to enable this Council to avoid the necessity of making a supplementary assessment or a refund in case of an over-assessment in respect of each such improvement, such assessment shall not be made until the exact cost of the said several improvements has been ascertained after the completion of the same, and in the meantime temporary loans shall be effected in each case to meet such cost, except as aforesaid, as provided by law in such cases.

3. Upon the completion of the said several improvements and the ascertainment of the exact cost of each of the same, the City Engineer shall, in respect of each of the said improvements, make measurements of the frontages of the real property exempt from taxation, and of the frontages of the several lots or parcels of land liable to such rate, with the names of the several owners thereof, so far as they can be ascertained from the last revised Assessment Roll, and he shall prepare a statement of the same in duplicate in respect of each of the said several improvements, and one of such duplicate statements in respect of each such improvement, he shall file in the office of the City Clerk, and the other he shall file in his own office, and the statements filed in the City Clerk's office shall be open to inspection during office hours, and the said City Clerk shall forthwith on the filing of the said statements take the necessary proceedings for the revision of the same by the Court of Revision and by the County Judge, in case of appeal, as required by law.

4. Upon the completion of the said several improvements the City Engineer shall ascertain the exact cost of the said several improvements, exclusive of the interest on the temporary loans aforesaid, and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council in respect of each such improvement shall be deducted from the cost so ascertained of such improvement, and the interest on the temporary loan in respect of each such improvement having been added to the balance thus obtained in each case, the said special assessments, after the said several statements shall have been finally revised, shall be made for the said several amounts, and to repay the said several temporary loans and interest, the said amounts shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation, which shall be issued on the security of the said several special assessments, and may be further guaranteed by this Council if it sees fit, as provided by law, and the necessary By-laws shall be passed for the said purposes.

5. This Council shall provide out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan to be raised upon debentures issued for the purpose, as authorised by law, forty per cent. of the cost of the said improvements in addition to the part of such cost to be paid by the Municipality being the cost of those parts of the said sidewalks which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of street intersections and also the cost of those of said sidewalks which are opposite real property which is exempt from special or local assessment.

6. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

R. H. TOYE, *Acting Mayor and Chairman.*

[L.S.]

W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

	The estimated cost of total improvements.	Portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality
Pine St., north side, from Patrick St. to Division St.	1,183 95	562 81
Pine St., south side, from Division St. to Patrick St.	1,141 88	511 16
Frontenac St., west side, from Earl St. to Johnson St.	622 25	296 30

MOTIONS.

Re REMOVAL OF TREES.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Graham, (3) that the petition of Mrs. Mundell, *re* removal of trees on Arch street, be referred to the Chairman of the Board of Works and Engineer with power to act.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Craig, that the petitions of Ald. Carson be referred to the Chairman and the City Engineer with power to act.—Carried.

Re CONCRETE WALK.

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Robertson, that the petitions of Mrs. Spencer and others; Mr. Trudell and others, Mr. Roadley and others; Mr. Peters and others, for a concrete walk be granted if certified by the Assessor as having been sufficiently signed.—Carried.

TO PURCHASE ROPE.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Douglas, that in the event of the City Property and Markets requiring rope for the hanging of the scaffold in connection with the pointing of City buildings that they are hereby empowered to purchase the same.—Carried.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Givens, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Mayor. *City Clerk.*

Kingston, October 7, 1907.

The regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 p.m., His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown Cooper, Craig, Douglas, Elliott,, Gaskin, Graham, Kent, Millan, Nickle, Rigney, Robertson, Ross, Toye.

TO ADOPT MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Nickle, (1) that the minutes of the meetings held June 17th, 28th, and Aug. 28th, be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

1. From A. Strachan, asking for exemption from taxation on the Kingston Public Library.

2. The Sec.-Treas. of the Canadian Independent Telephone Association, asking for a subscription.

3. The Secretary of the Board of Education enclosing report of Finance Committee of their Board.

4. From the Kingston Hosiery Co., asking for exemption on their property.

5. T. J. Rigney, re assessment of merchant tailors as manufacturers, in 1906.

6. From manager of the Merchants Bank, re taxes charged to the Merchants Bank of Canada on bonds of the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Co.

7. From William Zurbrigg, asking for exemption of taxes on the Free Methodist church, Colborne street.

8. F. A. Kilpatrick, re income tax of N. Hugo.

9. From the Secretary School Board, re candidates for city scholarships.

10. From H. E. Barney, Sec.-Treas. of the Kingston Teachers' Institute, asking for grant due the K. T. I.

11. W. H. Miller, City Auditor, asking for increase of salary, $100 a year.

12. From Geo. Hentig, asking for refund of $12.00 over assessment in 1906.

BOARD OF WORKS.

1. From F. Conway, asking for the removal of tree in front of his house, 121 Union street.

2. R. W. Smith, offering to sell stone quarry on Patrick street.

3. From the Local Board of Health, asking Council to build drain on Main street and also on Cherry street on the local improvement plan.

4. From D. A. Cays, asking to have a tree removed from the front of his residence on Barrie street.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

1. From John S. Walker, on behalf of Queen St. Methodist church, complaining of the service of the electric light on the corner of Queen and Clergy.

FYLE.

W. H. Miller, City Auditor, showing hospital count, Sept. 19, 1907.

COURT OF REVISION.

John Stansbury, asking to have dog tax struck off.

Ernest R. Beckwith, City Engineer, giving a report re pruning of shade trees in the City.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Rigney, (10) that the committee on Light, Heat and Power be instructed to provide the necessary funds for the proper pruning of trees in accordance with the Engineer's report, 1907.—Carried.

From M. Purtell, re removal of tank which damages his property.

Moved by Ald. McCann, seconded by Ald. Ross, (2) that the communication of M. Purtell be referred to the Chairman of the Board of Works, City Engineer, and Superintendent of the Water Works with power to act.—Carried.

PETITIONS.

BOARD OF WORKS.

From Margaret Simpson and others, for the construction of a drain as local improvement on Rideau street.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 67 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows:—

September 30, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the application of Rev. Father Mea to have refunded the sum of $50.70, less 2 per cent., as a tax on the lot in front of the Hotel Dieu Hospital be granted.

2. That the appeal of Francis King against the demand for payment of a dog tax of one dollar be granted.

3. That the communication of the City officials asking for an adding machine, the request be granted, and that this Committee pay one-third the cost of the same, namely, $125.

4. That the sum of $58 be paid as the City's share of the cost of entertaining the Historical Society.

5. That the sum of one dollar per week be added to the appropriation in budget for typewriter in the clerk's office, beginning August 5th, 1907.

6. That the following accounts be paid:

Board Works.

Pay list, ending Oct. 2nd	$1,336 12
R. Crawford, soft coal	1 50
Thos. B. Angrove, manholes	90 00
The C. P. R. Tel. Co	28 00
E. McFadden, rubble	91 50
A. McLean, oatmeal	30
R .H. Fair, sand	95 00
R. H. Fair, sand	112 50
Booth & Co., hard coal	49 10
G. S. Oldreive, duck	4 00
G. T. R., freight (2 bills)	2 39
John Corbett, supplies	7 22
Gartshore Thomson Pipe Co., pipe, etc	44 31
S. Grimshaw, labor and nails	81 95
Lemmon & Sons, cement	7 75
Alex. Tait, broken stone	292 08

Fire and Light.

Moore & Co., nozzle	7 50
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	11 28
W. A. Sawyer, rubber boots	16 00
W. P. Peters, hay No. 2 Station	18 45
W. P. Peters, hay No. 1 Station	18 45

W. P. Peters, oats No. 2 Station		20 00
Bell Tel. Co., side block		27
Northern Electric Co., gravity zincs		15 00
James Laturney, repairs		15 50
Extra help at steamboat fire		3 00
City Property.		
The Bailey Broom Co., broom for market	$	3 50
John Hall, burning brush, fairground		3 00
Imperial Laundry		76
Light Dept., gas and elec., Sept. quarter		43 50
Pay list, ending Oct. 2nd		102 95
S. Grimshaw, labor		2 60
Parks.		
Pay list ending October 2nd	$	12 50
John Olsen, smithwork		2 30
Contingencies.		
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps	$	10 00
Miscellaneous.		
Chas. W. Mack, stamps for Registrar	$	12 24
McKelvey & Birch, supplies for Registrar		14 46
Thos. McAuley, supplies for Registrar		10 40
Hart & Riddell, supplies for Registrar		12 75
Hart & Riddell, supplies for Registrar		10 50
Minnie Ball, typewriting to Oct. 7		24 00
Light, Heat and Power.		
Queen City Oil Co., red oil	$	9 40
Robert Mitchell Co., valve		6 50
Canadian Gen. Elec. Co., meters		116 24
Queen City Oil Co., gas oil		496 20
Canadian Gen. Elec. Co., fuses		6 00
Dominion Government, meter inspection		59 75
F. Tracy, smithwork		3 75
American Express Co., 3 bills		1 85
G. T. R. freight, 4 bills		5 80
K. & P. R.R., freight armature		2 34
Dominion Government, duty and entry on switch		11 35
Lemmon & Sons, cement, etc		62 25
W. J. Paul, wax vestas		65
Canadian Gen. Elec. Co., rubber gloves		5 50
Canadian Gen. Elec. Co., repairs to meter		36
Gartshore, Thompson Pipe Co., bends		16 90

Eugene F. Phillips, Elec. Works, Ltd., magnet..	19 67
Queen City Oil Co., oil	6 99
Pay list ending Sept 30th.....	1,065 17

Water Works.

Pay list ending Sept. 30th .....$	187 33
Thos. McAuley, water register book	12 00
Canadian Oil Co., cylinder oil	11 98

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor and Chairman;
T. J. RIGNEY,
W. G. CRAIG,
J. S. R. McCANN,
R. E. KENT.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Rigney, (4) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 68 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, October 3, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the petition of H. C. Nickle for the removal of three trees on William street be referred to the Chairman and City Engineer with power to act.

2. That the petition of D. A. Shaw for repairs to the crossing on Brock street, opposite Cooke's Church, be granted.

3. That on the communication of A. P. Matthew, respecting the undermining of the fence on his property on the corner Division and Russell streets, no action.

4. That the communication from Prof. Marshall, re Centre St. be filed.

5. That the petition of F. Clow, asking for the removal of a tree on King street, corner Lower University, be not granted, but that the tree be trimmed.

6. That the petition of J. Macgillivray and others for a concrete walk on Albert street be not granted at present as the board walk is in good condition.

7. That the Council petition the Dominion Government asking for the privilege of quarrying granite from Barriefield for the improvement of the City streets now being made with granite metalling.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN (*Chairman*),
C. J. GRAHAM,
J. S. R. McCANN,
T. J. RIGNEY,
R. F. ELLIOTT,
R. E. KENT.

Moved by Ald Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Graham, (5) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Water Works.

Ald. Carson presented report No. 69 from the Committee on Water Works, as follows:—

September 30, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. On the communication of James Blomely and W. H. Woodrow, firemen at Water Works pump house, asking for an increase in wages, that the firemen at pump house receive $1.60 per day of 12 hours from July 13th last.

2. On the communication of the Water Works laborers asking for an increase in wages, that W. Babcock and J McMaster, rock men, receive 20 cents per hour from July 13th last.

On the communication of the City officials asking for the purchase of an adding machine, that the Water Works Department pay one-third of the cost of said machine, namely $125.

4. That J. Swift & Co. be paid for coal screenings according to the bills of lading.

5. That the petition of William Randall and Mary Densmore for the extension of water supply to their premises on John street, between Patrick and Barrie streets, be granted.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. CARSON (*Chairman*),
D. COOPER,
W. G. CRAIG,
T. J. RIGNEY,
D. J. MILLAN,
W. F. NICKLE.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Craig, (6) that the report of the Committee on Water Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 70 from the Committee on Light, Heat and Power, as follows:—

Kingston, October 1, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committe on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That on the request of the Women's Aid Association to light the Armouries for the "Made in Canada Exhibit," this Department will furnish electric current for extra lamps used in the booths at cost.

2. That the request of J. Silver to have electric light connection made for his residence, be granted.

3. That the following be purchased for the plant:—

(*a*) 1 60 K.W. 125 volt Edison armature from the Can. Gen. Electric Co., Toronto, at $160.

(*b*) 6 new 7.5 amp. series A.C. enclosed arc lamps from Can. Gen. Electric Co., Toronto, at $26.25 each.

(*c*) 1 barrel graphite paint from Dickson Crucible Co., at $65.

(*d*) 1 bearing for Edison generator from Geo. Wright, Kingston, at $35.00.

(*e*) 500 feet conduits from the H. B. Comp Co., at 3½c. per ft.

(*f*) 60 ft. lead covered cable to connect switch board.

(*g*) 2 commutators for 9.6 amp. 50 light wood Arch dynamos from the Thompson-Bonney Co., Brooklyn, at $40 each.

4. The authority is hereby given to put a concrete floor in the Power House at an estimated cost of two hundred and fifty dollars.

5. That the authority is hereby given to advertise for tenders for:—

(*a*) New outside shell on the gas holder.

(*b*) One car load of cedar poles.

6. That the following motion be passed by Council:—

That the Council of the Municipality of the City of Kingston requests the Hydro-Electric Power Commission for Ontario to give the Municipality of the City of Kingston an estimate of the price to be charged to the said Municipality for one thousand to two thousand horse power of electric energy to be supplied at their power station, ready to be distributed by the said Municipality.

7. That C. C. Folger be appointed manager of the Light, Heat and Power plant at his present salary.

8. That J. M. Campbell be retained as Consulting Engineer to the Light, Heat and Power for a period of six months beginning Nov. 1st, 1907, and to receive the sum of $500 for the above named period.

9. That on the communication of the City officials asking for the purchase of an adding machine the request be granted and that this department pay one-third of the cost of the same, namely $125.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. H. TOYE (*Chairman*),
JOHN GASKIN,
D. COOPER,
H. DOUGLAS,
G. Y. CHOWN,
T. J. RIGNEY.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Chown, that the report of the Committee on Light, Heat and Power be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Elliott, that paragraph (6) of the Light, Heat and Power report be struck out.—Lost. The original motion was then carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Angrove presented report No. 71 from the Committee on City Property and Markets, as follows:—

Kingston, October 2, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen:—The Committee on City Property and Markets beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the Committee on Finance and Accounts be asked to provide the sum of $500 for this Committee for the purpose of repairing and pointing the City Buildings.

2. That whereas the cost of building the fence at the Fair grounds amounting to $391.65, was taken out of the appropriation of this Committee, that the same amount be requested to be added by the Committee on Finance and Accounts.

3. That this Committee be authorized to call for tenders for the sale of the buildings at the Fair ground, which have been condemned as unsafe by the City Engineer.

4. That the tender of P. Walsh, namely, $6.83 per ton for the year's supply of coal for the City Buildings and Fire Halls be accepted, being the lowest.

5. That the tender of F. Whitney, namely, $6.90 per cord for the year's supply of wood for the City Buildings and Fire Halls be accepted, being the lowest.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) H. ANGROVE (*Chairman*),
D. COOPER,
H. DOUGLAS,
G. GRAHAM,
A. E. ROSS,
R. F. ELLIOTT.

Moved by Ald. Angrove, seconded by Ald. Cooper, (8) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Chown presented By-law No. 39. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended, a second and third time, the second being in committee as a whole, Ald. Ross in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW No. 39, 1907.

A By-law to extend the operation of By-law No. 32 (1902) for a further period, being a By-law partially exempting the property of the Kingston Hosiery Company (Limited) from Municipal taxation.

Passed Oct. 7th, 1907.

WHEREAS by the Statute Law Amendment Act, 1907, it is enacted "in the case of any municipality in which the taxes for the

year 1907 will be levied upon an assessment made in the year 1906, the Municipal Council may, by a two-thirds vote of the members thereof, continue any such exemptions heretofore granted so as to apply to and include taxes to be levied in the year 1907."

AND WHEREAS in this municipality the assessment for the year 1907 was made in the year 1906 and it is expedient to continue as hereinafter provided the exemption heretofore enjoyed by the said Kingston Hosiery Company (Limited):

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston by a two-thirds vote of the members thereof, as follows:—

1. The operation of said By-law No. 32 (1902) entitled, "A By-law to partially exempt from municipal taxation the property of the Kingston Hosiery Company (Limited) in the City of Kingston for a period from the first day of January, 1902, to the 31st day of December, 1903, upon certain conditions," is hereby continued so as to apply to and include taxes to be levied in the year 1907.

2. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, *Mayor.* W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

[L.S.]

MOTIONS.

1. Re Removal of trees.

Moved by Ald. Douglas, seconded by Ald. Graham, (3) that the petition of D. A. Cays for the removal of trees be referred to the Chairman of the Board of Works and the City Engineer with power to act.—Carried.

2. Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott, (9) and resolved that the expenditure incurred in and about the extension of the Queen street sewer, as authorized by the report of Committee on Light, Heat and Power and Board of Works, dated April 8, 1907, and adopted by that Council on that date be charged to a special account to be called "The Queen Street Sewer Extension Account" and that the sum of $4,500, cost of the said work as estimated by the City Engineer, be placed to the credit of said account, and that the ultimate apportionment of cost of said work as between the Light, Heat and Power Department and Board of Works be made as this Council shall hereafter direct.—Carried.

3. Re Bonus to the Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Co.

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Carson, (11) that the Mayor be requested to look carefully into the By-law granting a bonus to the Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company and also the City's rights to be represented at the meeting of the said Company, and to report to Council at a convenient date.—Carried.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Rigney, that (12) Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.30 p.m.

Mayor. *City Clerk.*

Kingston, Oct. 21, 1907.

The regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 p.m., His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Carson, Cooper, Douglas, Elliott, Gaskin, Free, Givens, Graham, Henderson, Kent, McCann, Nickle, Rigney, Ross, Toye.

TO ADOPT MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Nickle, (1) that the minutes of the meeting held Oct. 7th be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

1. A. J. Macdonnell, Manager, objected to income tax on coupons of the Light, Heat and Power Co., cashed by the Bank of Montreal.

2. From Fred. Whitney, asking for rebate, amount of street watering tax for the past season.

3. Editor (*Canada*) an illustrated weekly, London, *re* advertising this city.

BOARD OF WORKS.

1. William Abernethy asking for the removal of tree, 178 Ordnance street.

2. R. G. Armstrong, complaining of water running into his cellar on account of an overflow from the Exhibition grounds.

3. From Fred. Whitney and others, asking that the street watering be discontinued in front of their property on Place d'Armes St.

FYLE.

City Auditor, statement showing the number of patients in the hospitals.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. McCann presented report No. 72, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows:

Committee Room, Kingston, Oct. 19, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

That the application of A. E. Strachan, Chairman, asking for exemption from taxes on the Kingston Public Library for the year 1907 be granted.

That the application from William Zurbrigg, Pastor, for exemption from taxation on the Free Methodist Church, Colborne St., for the year 1907, be granted.

That whereas, the Board of Education has reported that Stanley Cornett, Philips Macdonnell and Harold Marshall having made the highest marks in the Matriculation Examinations, they are recommended to receive the City Scholarships.

That the application of H. E. Barney, Secretary, for a grant of $25.00 to the Kingston Teachers' Institute for the year 1907, be granted.

That on the recommendation of the City Solicitor, the application of Conrad Haag for remission of income tax for the year 1906 be not granted.

That the sum of $500 be added to the appropriation of the Committee on City Property and Markets for the purpose of repairing and pointing the City buildings.

That the sum of $391.65 be added to the appropriation of the Committee on City Property and Markets on account of that Committee having paid out the above amount for building the fence at the Fair Grounds.

That the following accounts be paid:

Board of Works.

John Corbett, supplies	$ 20 76
Robert Smith, broken stone	42 75
Ed McFadden, rubble	87 00
W. Gilmour, repairs	7 00
J. H. Sutherland & Bro., rubber and hip boots	21 00
Alex. Tait, broken stone	550 93

Pay list ending Oct. 16th	1,292 26
S. Grimshaw, labor and material	150 58
Lemmon & Sons, cement	643 55
Frontenac Lumber Co., cement and lumber	278 28
R. H. Fair, sand	110 00
Canadian Exp. Co., charges on pipe	4 86
Frontenac Lumber Co,, lumber	1 12
Frontenac Lumber Co., lumber	46 71
W. B. Dalton & Sons, iron	21 89

Fire and Light.

W. P. Peters, hay No. 2 station	$ 18 20
W. Gilmour, repairs	5 50
D. Hutchison, horse feed, Nos. 1 and 2 stations	25 66
R. E. Wilson, horse hire	6 00
W. P. Peters, hay, No. 2 station	16 30
Light, Heat, Power, Gas Dept., quarter	29 30
W. P. Peters, oats, No. 2 station	20 00
Bell Tel. Co., supplies	6 90
Lemmon & Sons, supplies	20 09
W. Cockburn, smithwork	3 90

City Property.

Lake Ontario Ice Co.	$ 4 00
C. Jackson, cleaning City Hall chimneys	1 50
Mrs. McDonald, scrubbing	6 50
Pay list, ending Oct. 16th	109 25

Parks.

Pay list, ending Oct. 16th	$ 44 64

Contingencies.

City Registry Office, registration of deeds	97

Light, Heat and Power.

John Corbett, supplies	$ 6 36
R. Crawford, screenings	1,204 00
Queen City Oil Co., gas oil	295 02
G. N. W. Tel Co., 3 messages	94
G. S. Oldrieve, blocks	2 00
Davis & Farnum Co., on gas holder	2,000 00
Selby & Youlden, on oil tank	1,000 00
McColl Bros. & Co., boiler compound	23 21
Frontenac Lumber Co., lumber	23 40
Joseph Paradis, board for line men	10 00

Thos. McAuley, supplies	4 35
Crouse Hinds Co., switch	8 18
Peter G. Wilmot, horse feed	16 70
Queen City Oil Co., oil	33 89
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies	4 39
Canadian Genl. Elect. Co., meter	1 65
Eugene F. Phillips Elect. Co., magnet wire	14 39
Can. Genl. Elect. Co., comutator compound	41
Queen City Oil Co., gas oil	290 69
S. Anglin Co., lumber	19 65
Dominion Government, duty on gas holder	18 65
James Swift & Co., freight on boiler cpd	1 89
Dominion Government, entry on gas oil	35
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps	4 00
G. T. R., freight, 3 bills	7 00
Canadian Express Co., 4 bills	8 10
Pay list, ending Oct. 15th	997 69

Miscellaneous.

Minnie Ball, typewriting to Oct. 21st ..... $ 10 00

Board of Health.

Thos. McAuley, minute book ..... $ 1 50

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor and Chairman.
D. A. GIVENS,
J. S. R. McCANN,
R. E. KENT.

Moved by Ald. McCann, seconded by Ald. Kent, (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 73 from the Board of Works as follows:

October 17, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

That upon the advice of the City Solicitor, the Board of Works recommend that the action of Shane vs. the City be settled by pay-

ment of $750 in full of the claims of Mrs. Shane and her husband and costs.

2. That the petition of F. Conway for the removal of a tree in front of 107 Union street be referred to the Chairman and City Engineer with power to act.

3. That 300 lineal feet of concrete kerb from stock be put down on the south side of Princess street, between Ontario and King streets.

4. That the Chairman and City Engineer be authorized to obtain tenders for a set of epicycloid chain blocks and to accept the lowest tender.

5. That the petition of Margaret Simpson and others for a tile sewer on Rideau street from a point opposite the centre of houses Nos. 15 and 17, connected with sewer on Barrack St., be granted.

6. That the petition of Thomas Thurlby and others for a tile sewer on Ellerbeck street, from King street northerly 462 feet to Davidson street, be granted if certified by the Assessor as sufficiently signed.

7. That the sewers as set forth in the following schedule be constructed under the Local Improvement plan, their construction having been recommended by the Board of Health.

a. From a point opposite the west limit of Lot No. 20 on Cherry street, thence easterly to Plum street, and thence along Plum street to connect with a tile sewer opposite the west limit of Lot No. 18.

b. From the manhole at the intersection of Main street and Ann street, southerly along Main street 424 feet.

c. From the manhole at the intersection of Raglan Road and Main street, westerly to the intersection of Vine Street and Raglan Road; thence along Vine street to the intersection of Vine street and Ellice street, thence easterly 200 feet along Ellice street and also 100 feet westerly along Ellice street from the intersection of Vine street and Ellice street.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, *Chairman;*

C. J. GRAHAM,

J. S. R. McCANN,

R. J. FREE,

R. E. KENT.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Free, that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 74 from the Committee on Light, Heat and Power, as follows:

Committee Room, Kingston, Oct. 15th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat & Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the application of M. R. Davis for an extension of the gas main on Alice street be granted.

2. That one 56 by 12 inch pulley be purchased from the Waterous Engine Co., Brantford, Ont., at a cost of $51.25.

3. That the tender of the Canadian Fairbanks Co. for two steam pumps at $54 each be accepted.

4. That the account for extra street lighting amounting to $380.76, against the Committee on Fire and Light, be paid, the Solicitor having advised as follows:

Upon the reference to me of the account for extra street lighting rendered by the Light Department against the Fire and Light Committee, I beg leave to advise as follows:

1. I assume that the account rendered is correct: that is to say that the work charged for was actually done by the City plant. I think I am warranted on making this assumption as the material on which the account is based was prepared and furnished by a responsible official of the Corporation, namely, the City Engineer. Even if any interest were disposed to question either his honesty or his accuracy, I presume no substantial ground could be found upon which to base such a charge. Besides, it should be remembered that when the street lighting was done under contract by a private corporation the City Engineer in practice (even if not by virtue of powers expressly conferred by the agreement) ascertained and determined the allowances and deductions to be made, and I am not aware that his findings were ever questioned.

2. When the plant was taken over by the City, the agreement between the Company and the Corporation was at an end, from that time the relation of the Corporation through its Council to the plant ceased to be based on contract. It was then open to the Council within its statutory powers, to determine as a matter of policy how the plant should be operated: whether as a self-contained department, charging up to the City at large the full price of every gen-

eral service rendered or as a department which should contribute in a greater or less degree to the City Treasury in services rendered or in revenue.

I understand from inquiry in the City offices and from the report of the Fire and Light Committee, dated 17th March, that for a time the former policy was adopted and the relation which subsisted under contract between the Company and the Corporation was continued as between the Light Department and the City at large. The above report indicates that at a later date some modifications beyond a reduction in price were introduced in the agreement and it is suggested that these were not authorized by Council.

3. Upon this position of affairs I beg leave to advise that the administration of the lighting plant is purely a matter of policy to be determined by the Council acting within the scope of its statutory powers. If the difference which has arisen between the two committees concerned cannot be adjusted by them on terms agreeable to Council, then the Council without the intervention of a Committee must take the matter up and make a final determination of the controversy.

Yours truly, D. M. McINTYRE.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, *Chairman;*
D. A. GIVENS,
JOHN GASKIN,
H. DOUGLAS,
D. COOPER,
T. J. RIGNEY.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Givens, (4) that the report of the Light, Heat and Power Committee be received and adopted.—Carried.

The motion was carried on the following division:

Yeas—Mayor Mowat, Ald. Couper, Douglas, Elliott, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Kent, McCann, Rigney, Toye: 11.

Nays—Ald. Graham, Henderson, Nickle.

Fire and Light

Ald. Graham presented report No. 75 from the Committee on Fire and Light, as follows:

Committee Room, Kingston, Oct. 19, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

That in accordance with the scale adopted by Council, and on recommendation of the Chief of the Fire Department, the sum of five cents per day be added to the salary of Fireman William Smith.

That this Committee beg leave to call the attention of the Council to the unsatisfactory manner in which the streets of this City are furnished with light.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) C. J. GRAHAM,
L. L. HENDERSON,
W. F. NICKLE,
H. ANGROVE.

Moved by Ald. Graham, seconded by Ald. Henderson, that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted with clause 2 withdrawn.—Carried.

Parks.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 76 from the Committee on Parks, as follows:

Committee Rooms, Kingston, Oct. 21, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Parks beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

That the tender of Selby and Youlden for a fence to complete the line fence between Clarence Park and St. George's Cathedral grounds, at $3.00 per foot (the distance being estimated at 35 feet)

be accepted being the lowest, and that the City's portion of said expenditure not to exceed $80.00.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. E. KENT, *Chairman;*
R. H. TOYE,
D. COUPER,
C. HENDERSON.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Henderson, that the report of the Committee on Parks be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 28, 1907. This By-law was read a first time on June 3, 1907, and the 31st rule now being suspended, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Rigney in the chair, was signed and sealed as follows:

J. McD. MOWAT, *Mayor.*
[L.S]
W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

(By-law No. 28 is printed on page 220.)

Ald. Nickle presented By-law No. 40 to amend By-law No. 15, in the revised By-laws. The By-law received its first reading.

MOTIONS.

Re REMOVAL OF TREES.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott, (7) that the communication of William Abernethy, *re* removal of trees, 178 Ordnance street, be referred to the Chairman and City Engineer with power to act.—Carried.

Re LIGHT IN WADE'S LANE.

Moved by Ald. Graham, seconded by Ald. Angrove (8) that if it is not possible to put an incandescent light in Wade's Lane as

granted by the Council, that an arc light be put in at once, and the Committee on Finance and Accounts be requested to provide the necessary funds.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Ald. Givens gave notice that at the next regular meeting we will move the following resolution:

That the following question be submitted to the electors at the time of the Municipal elections in January next: (*a*) Are you in favor of making the first form, including commercial work, in the Collegiate Institute free, the sum now collected in fees, about $1,500, to be raised by general taxation?

(*b*) Are you in favor of making the Collegiate Institute free in all its departments, the sum now raised in fees, about $6,000, to be raised by general taxation?

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Gaskin, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10 p.m.

Mayor. *City Clerk.*

Kingston, Nov. 4th, 1907.

The regular meeting of the Council was called this evening at 8 o'clock.

Present: Ald. Angrove, Chown, Cooper, Douglas, Elliott, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Kent, Henderson, McCann, Millan, Nickle, Rigney, Robertson, Ross, Carson.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Graham, that Ald. Givens act as Chairman in the absence of the Mayor.—Carried.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Millan, that the minutes of last meeting be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

From George Bennett, asking for rebate of statute labor tax on account of being over age.

From Gen. Sec. of the Y.W.C.A. applying for rebate on their buildings on cor. Princess and Sydenham streets, also 196 Johnson street.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Mrs. Regan, asking to have a tree in front of her house, 52 O'Kill street, removed.

Euphemia Robertson, asking to have trees removed, one at the east side of William street, the other at the corner of William and Sydenham streets.

FYLE.

J. McDonald Mowat, in accordance with the resolution passed by Council, Oct. 7th, *re* bonus, Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Co.

PETITIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Rev. T. E. Burke and others asking Council to pass a by-law prohibiting the sale of spirituous, fermented or other manufactured liquors in any tavern, etc. The said by-law to be submitted for approval to the electors at the next Municipal election.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Rigney presented report No. 77 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows:

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

That on the recommendation of the City Solicitor the application of F. Whitney, asking for rebate of the amount of street watering tax, and also that of F. A. Kilpatrick applying for remission of the late N. Hugo's income tax for 1907, be not granted.

That the request of Council as per resolution No. 8, page 285, minutes, *re* Light in Wade's Lane be granted.

That the account of the International Publishing Co. for four dollars be paid, and that the subscription to the same be cancelled.

That the following accounts be paid:—

Board Works.

The Frontenac Lumber Co., lumber	$ 155 25
John Kelly, smith work	1 00
Robert Smith, broken stone	30 75
The Frontenac Lumber Co., cement, etc.	432 90
F. Tracey, smith work	8 63
Lemmon & Sons, cement	391 64
R. H. Fair, sand	110 00
S. Grimshaw, labor and material	149 54
E. McFadden, rubble	85 50
Alex. Tait, broken stone	552 85
Pay roll, ending October 30th	1,340 15

City Property.

Taylor and Hamilton, repairs	$ 14 24
Thomas Vanhorn, sharpening drills	75
Lemmon & Sons, basin for treasurer	19 50
Pay list, ending October 30th	105 80
Lemmon & Sons, cement, etc.	15 18
J. Hamer, repairing scales	7 00

Parks.

G. S. Oldrieve, repairs to flag pole, etc.	$ 5 72
Stone and Wellington, trees	19 00

Pay Roll, ending October 30th		15 89
John Corbett, supplies (2 bills)		21 58
Contingencies.		
H. S. Folger, pauper passages	$	4 35
Selecting Jurors		60 00
Miscellaneous.		
Light Dept., gas, Sept. quarter, City Reg. Office	$	1 70
Minnie Ball, typewriting to Nov. 4th		10 00
Water Works.		
Pay list, ending October 14th	$	267 80
F. Tracey, smith work		3 76
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies		2 45
John Corbett, supplies		1 29
Light Dept., gas, September quarter		13 20
S. Anglin & Co., lumber		39 68
Pay list, ending Oct. 28th		198 21
Macdonnell & Farrell, taxes on the engineer's house		29 67
Light, Heat and Power.		
Canadian Meter Co., meters and locks	$	188 10
H. Muller, Manuf. Co., castings		1 65
W. J. Morgan, V.S., professional services		2 00
W. Cockburn, smith work		5 09
J. Angrove, oil, etc.		1 00
Canadian Genl. Elect. Co., meters		182 96
Queen City Oil Co., oil		23 22
Joseph Dixon, Crucible Co., paint		60 84
W. Cockburn, smith work		25 56
The Davis Dry Dock Co., bolts		40
The British Whig		10 00
McKelvey & Birch, supplies		379 43
James Sowards, screenings		15 51
H. S. Folger, freight on paint		1 50
Canadian Locomotive Co., repairs		3 50
Canadian Genl. Elect. Co., meter		5 69
Water Works, water, September quarter		115 55
P. Walsh, lime		60
P. Lowery, horse shoeing		6 43
John Ingles Co., pulleys		16 75
Canadian Genl. Elect. Co., meters		76 95
Canadian Genl. Elect. Co., meters		29 93
Eugene F. Phillips, Elec. Works, cotton banding		3 32

McColl Bros. & Co., oil and grease	37 63
Queen City Oil Co., gas oil	892 60
Henry Skinner & Co., corks	40
Expanded Metal and Fire Proofing Co., metal for floor	75 82
Lemmon & Sons, cement, etc.	30 07
Canadian Oil Co., wood alcohol	17 10
Thompson-Bonney Co., refilling commutators	80 00
Jos. Paradis, boarding line men	10 50
C. W. Stone, repairs to harness, etc.	1 30
Canadian Express Co., (4 bills)	4 45
Dominion Government, duty on commutators	22 70
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps	4 00
Dominion Government, duty on bolts	2 47
Dominion Express	40
G. T. Ry., freight (2 bills)	5 52
F. Tracey, smith work	3 73
Dominion Government, gas meter inspection	13 50
Pay list. ending October 31st	1,052 48

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) D. A. GIVENS,
R. E. KENT,
J. S. R. McCANN,
T. J. RIGNEY.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Kent, (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

His Worship Mayor Mowat now took the chair.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 78 from the Board of Works as follows:

Kingston, Oct. 30, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

In considering the improvement of the streets of this city there are four important points to be settled:—

1st. How are the streets to be improved?
2nd—What will the cost be?
3rd. What facilities have the City for doing the work?
4th. How is the money to do the work to be raised?

In the first case, as you are aware, the city is in a very favorable position as regards obtaining a suitable material for ordinary macadam roads, that is, there is an abundance of limestone. This limestone can be used more economically for the making of roads in this City than any other material or permanent pavement, except perhaps on those streets subject to heavy traffic.

It is impossible to settle on a definite plan of improvement for the whole City, as different streets require different methods and each street should, before the work is actually done, be considered on its own merits and a plan and specification prepared and followed out in doing the work. At the same time, a general scheme can be adopted, that is, the streets to be first graded and brought up to a level of 6 inches below finished grade with rubble stone which must be well rolled and consolidated before the broken stone is put on.

The road to be then finished with a selected grade of limestone thoroughly rolled and blinded.

We might mention the block on Clarence street, just completed, which is a sample of what this kind of road would be, although we were handicapped in not being able to obtain a uniform class of limestone as regards the size and quality.

Many of the streets can be narrowed up so that the water channel will not be blocked by poles and approaches to gateways, and to further improve them a concrete kerb can be put down so as to form a boulevard outside the walks, and concrete or asphalt water channels can be constructed. But as to where this extra work shall be done, will have to be a matter for the Board of Works to consider when taking up the work on each street as it is decided to improve it.

We have obtained considerable information from other cities but we do not consider it of much importance as Kingston has advantages which other cities do not enjoy, and in our opinion must adopt its own methods and not follow the example of other places.

In considering the second point, that is, the cost, no fixed price for doing the work can be given as some blocks will cost more than others, but a fair general estimate can be obtained from the work completed this year on King street West, from Barrie street to Ellerbeck street, and the block on Clarence street, from Wellington to Bagot street, for an ordinary macadam road without kerb or water channel.

The work done on King street West is 5,300 feet long by 26 feet wide, equal to an area of 15,300 square yards. The cost is approximately $2,200, being about 14½ cents per square yard.

Note.—The stone used on this street was given by the Government for the penitentiary and only cost the City $2.25 per toise for

delivering same, so that to arrive at what it would have cost the City to do the work if they had to supply the stone another $3.25 per toise must be added to the cost, making it $3,175.00, 300 toise having been used on the work. This makes the cost per square yard about 20 cents. We would like to draw your attention to the fact that more broken stone was used on this street than the city would have used, as it was cheaper to do so than to use rubble stone, which the City would have had to buy.

Another thing, we were somewhat handicapped by not having a sufficient equipment to do the work in the most economical manner. Taking these facts into consideration, I am of the opinion that a fair estimate for doing this work under favorable circumstances would be 18 cents per square yard.

The block on Clarence street is 450 feet in length, by 44 feet wide, which equals an area of 2,200 square yards. The cost is approximately $330, making the cost 15 cents per square yard.

From these figures it would be safe to assume that the average cost per square yard in any future work of a similar nature will be 18 cents.

Regarding the facilities the City has for doing the work, at the present time we have none excepting the steam roller, which with care and proper attention should last for several years, and a small crusher which is unsuitable and not large enough to supply the City's demands.

The City must have: 1st, a good quarry from which stone can be obtained suitable for road making.

2nd. An up-to-date crushing plant, so that the stone can be obtained in such quantities that the work can go on economically.

3rd. Other appliances as set forth below, such as spreading wagons, scarifier, etc.

The City has several quarry lots in which there is an abundance of good stone, but owing to the large amount of stripping necessary to get at it, it would never pay the City to operate it. This means that another quarry must be obtained. The City has the offer of several quarries, but the one on Montreal street, owned by Mrs. Allen, is in our opinion the best one adapted for obtaining a good supply of stone.

We have asked several firms to submit tenders for supplying a complete crushing outfit, but as it would not be in the best interests to consider these tenders at the present time, we will only give an approximate cost of the complete outfit that we must have, including crusher, elevator, storage bins, screens, hoist buckets, engine and boiler or electric motor, drilling outfit, spreading wagons and scari-

fier. This outfit will cost in the neighborhood of $7,000, including the quarry.

The finding of the money is probably the chief point to be settled. This can be done in three ways: 1st. By submitting to the people a by-law. 2nd. By increasing the taxation; or 3rd. By Local Improvement.

We would recommend that a by-law be submitted to the ratepayers at the next Municipal Election in January for the sum of $15,000 for the purpose of purchasing a complete outfit, estimated at $7,000, and the balance, approximately $8,000, to be used in improving the streets where most needed. The method of improvement to be as outlined above. But should the property owners on any street desire a permanent pavement we should recommend that the difference between the estimated cost of a limestone macadam road and the permanent pavement be provided by the property owners. The $15,000 to be raised by debentures payable in 20 years. The principal and interest will amount to about $1,200 per annum and can be taken care of out of the present taxation without increasing it.

As the present condition of the streets makes it essential that something must be done to put them in a better condition, we would recommend that in the event of the by-law not passing, that the taxes be raised to provide for doing the work.

We would further recommend that the lots owned by the Corporation on Adelaide, Cowdy and Patrick streets be sold for building and quarry lots, if a satisfactory price can be obtained and the amount so realized be used to further improve the streets.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, *Chairman;*
R. E. KENT,
C. J. GRAHAM,
J. S. R. McCANN,
R. F. ELLIOTT,
R. J. FREE.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott, (4) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Chown presented report No. 79 from the Committee on Light, Heat and Power, as follows:

October 29, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

That the account of Eugene F. Phillips, Electrical Works, Montreal, as follows, be paid:

600,000 C. M. Flexible W. P. Cable at 18 1-2	$ 69 93
1,500,000 C.M. Strd. W. P. Cable, at 18 1-2	159 47
No. 0 Flexible W.P. Cable (133 by 21), at 25	24 88
No. 4 Flexible W.P. Cable (49 by 21)	
No. 6 Flexible Rub. Covd. Cable D, Brd., 65.00 M. ft	3 25
	$257 53

That permission be granted to purchase the following supplies at the following prices:

100 (Cat. No. 1733) 2-piece clamp insulators	$8 85
25 (Cat No. 1736) iron clamps, complete	4 17
100 (Cat. No. 8474) S. W. cleats	5 48
12 (Cat. No. 1703) wall insulators	3 45
1 (Cat. No. 1705) wall insulators	32
	$22 27

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) ALD. TOYE, *Chairman;*
D. A. GIVENS,
JOHN GASKIN,
G. Y. CHOWN,
T. J. RIGNEY,
D. COUPER,
H. D. DOUGLAS.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Douglas, (5) that the report of the Committee on Light, Heat and Power be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 41, 1907. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee as a whole, Ald. Robertson in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW No. 41, 1907.

A By-law to authorize the construction of common sewers in parts of certain streets in the City of Kingston, as local improvements under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

Passed Nov. 4th, 1907.

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston has received a recommendation from the Board of Health of the said City, for the construction of common sewers under the provisions of the "Municipal Act" in that behalf, and under the powers conferred by Section 668, Sub-section 4 of the "Municipal Act" in certain streets set forth in column No. 1 of the schedule hereto annexed in the City of Kingston and the said Council has by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of the said Council at a regular meeting of said Council, affirmed that it is desirable and necessary in the public interest, to construct the said sewers for the purposes of draining certain localities for sanitary and drainage purposes, as local improvements to be paid for by special assessment of the real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said several improvements.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to construct the said several improvements as recommended by the said Board of Health and the City Engineer;

AND WHEREAS the estimated cost of the said several improvements including interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned is as set forth in column No. 3 of the schedule hereto annexed, part of which cost as set forth in column No. 3 of said schedule is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4 and the remainder is to be assessed on the real property immediately benefited and assessable by the said several improvements, but it is deemed advisable to defer making the final special assessment for the part of the cost of the said several improvements including interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned to be levied for by such assessment on the real property immediately benefited by said several improvements liable to be assessed therefor as aforesaid until the exact cost of the several improvements including said in-

terest has been ascertained after the completion of the same, when the said estimated cost, the proportion thereof to be provided by the Municipality at large, and the proportions thereof to be assessed on the various portions of real estate so benefited as aforesaid, shall be adjusted in accordance with the said exact cost.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:

Common sewers shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as a local improvement under the provisions of the said Act, and under the authority aforesaid to be paid for by a special assessment of the real property immediately benefited thereby liable to assessment, except that part of the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, in each of those parts of the several streets set forth in the schedule annexed to this By-law which said sewers shall have a sectional area as set forth in column No. 2 of the said Schedule and shall be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by the said City Engineer and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sewers except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loan hereinafter mentioned and meet the interest and principal of the debentures to be issued for the same as hereinafter mentioned in Section 3, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the said real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said several improvements and liable to be assessed, according to the frontage of the said property made in connection with the said sewers and also the cost of that part of the said several sewers which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of street intersections, and also one-half of the cost of that part of the said several sewers done or made opposite real property, if such property is but on one side of it, which by any general or special act is exempt from special or local assessment, and also the cost of the whole of that part of the said several sewers done or made opposite real property if such property is on both sides of it which is so exempt from special or local assessment.

3. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, *Mayor.*

[L.S.]

W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

Schedule.

COLUMN No. 1.	COLUMN No. 2.	COLUMN No. 3.	COLUMN No. 4.
Description of Work.	Sectional Area of Sewer Sq. inches.	Estimated Total Cost.	Estimated Cost to be provided by the Municipality.
From a point opposite the west limit of Lot No. 20 on Cherry St., thence easterly to Plum St., and thence along Plum St. to connect with a tile drain opposite the west limit of Lot No. 18.	63.617	$591.60	$88.80
From the manhole at the intersection of Main St. and Ann St., southerly along Main St. 424 feet.	63.617	$508.80	$40.00
From the manhole at the intersection of Raglan Road and Main St., westerly to the intersection of Vine St. and Ellice St., thence easterly 200 feet along Ellice St. and also 100 feet westerly along Ellice St. from the intersection of Vine St. and Ellice St.	63.617	$960.00	$270.00

MOTIONS.

1. To petition Legislature *re* standard weights for bread.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Chown, (6) that this Council desires to place itself on record as in favor of standard weights for bread, and respectfully petitions the Legislature of the Province for the repeal of section 25 of 1 Edward VII, cap. 26, which reads as follows:

"Provided however that no such by-law shall apply to bread or the sale thereof in loaves to which are attached labels showing the weight to be not more than the actual weight of the same."

now incorporated in section 583, cap 19, of 3 Edward VII, as it is of opinion that the size of bread should be entirely within the control of the Councils of municipalities as it was prior to the passing of the section to which reference is above made.

A special committee to apportion the cost of the Queen street sewer.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Gaskin, (7) that the Mayor, Ald. Gaskin, Elliott, Toye, and Chown be a special committee to investigate and apportion the amounts chargeable to the committees with the cost of Queen street sewer, and that the Finance Committee be requested to provide the necessary funds.—Carried.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.30 p.m.

Mayor. *City Clerk.*

Kingston, Nov. 18, 1907.

The regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 p.m., His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Cooper, Craig, Douglas, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Kent, McCann, Millan, Rigney, Robertson, Ross, Toye.

TO ADOPT MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Cooper, seconded by Ald. Craig, (1) that the minutes of last meeting be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

1. Elmer Davis, asking exemption from taxes on Tannery property, for year 1907.

2. John Abramson, president Hebrew congregation, asking for remission of taxes on the hall, cor. Princess and Montreal streets.

3. Taylor and Hamilton, asking a refund of $23 on account of error in assessment.

4. From the Infants' Home, asking for exemption from taxes for local improvement, 1907.

5. W. H. Miller, City Auditor, asking to have ad. inserted in the daily press for all outstanding accounts.

BOARD OF WORKS.

1. Charles Purdy, asking for compensation for loss to business during the construction of the Queen street sewer.

2. From Savoy and Co., asking the City to purchase a snow plow.

3. From Mary J. Brown, asking for compensation for damage done to two trees, 16 Markland street, on Hallowe'en night.

4. M. P. Ryan, asking compensation of $400 for a horse on account of being injured in an excavation on Johnson street.

WATER WORKS.

1. Annie and Maggie Morris, asking to have water supplied to their home, 154 Raglan Road.

PETITION.

Catharine Baird, asking to have water works extended on Main street, between Ellice and Colborne St.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Craig presented report No. 80 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows:

Nov. 15, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the sum of $12 be refunded to G. W. Hentig, on account of having been assessed as manufacturer on 60 per cent. basis, whereas he should have been assessed as a merchant at 30 per cent.

2. That the Y.W.C.A. be exempted from taxes on property, cor. Princess and Sydenham streets, to the extent of sixty dollars.

3. That the sum of two dollars and ten cents be refunded to George Bennett, the same having been paid by him as Statute Labor Tax, whereas he is exempt on account of being over the age limit.

4. That the petition of T. E. Burke and others, asking that a Local Option By-law be submitted to the electors at the time of the Municipal election, no action.

5. That the following accounts be paid:—

Board of Works.

Davis Dry Dock, use of pile driver	$	15 00
F. Whitney, wood		2 50
W. B. Dalton & Sons, iron		4 19
Shales and Taugher, smithwork		8 50
McKelvey & Birch, supplies		96 08
G. T. R., freight, sewer pipe		35 91
John Gaskin, expenses to Montreal		16 30
The Canadian Sewer Pipe Co., pipe		241 67
John Corbett, supplies		26 37
Alex. Tait, broken stone and teaming		121 55
Pay list, ending Nov. 13th		830 28

Fire and Light.

Water Works, water for hydrants, 1907	$ 750	00
Light Dept., lighting streets 3 mos. to Sept	2235	00
Imperial Chemical Co., supplies	6	10
W. P. Peters, oats No. 2 Station	14	25
W. P. Peters, oats, No. 2 Station	14	25
A. Strachan, supplies	9	11
Lemmon & Sons, supplies	16	25
John Elmer, entertaining visiting firemen	8	50
Shales & Taugher, horseshoeing	8	05
Taylor and Hamilton, supplies	18	16
P. Walsh, coal	20	49
George R. Tomlinson, electrical supplies	2	36
James Mallen, slabs	7	50
John Corbett, supplies	2	45
W. P. Peters, oats	19	95
Oldrieve & Horn, supplies	8	84
W. G. Frost, painting bob sleigh	7	00
Peter Lowery, horse shoeing	7	77
James Laturney, repairs	6	85
J. A. McFarlane, oats	19	38
R. G. Armstrong, horse blanket	4	00
P. Joice, extra help, Water Works fire		75
W. P. Peters, hay	12	55
W. P. Peters, hay	12	60
Thomas Vanhorn, horse shoeing	20	16

Parks.

Selby and Youlden, iron fence	$ 80	00
Jos. Scott, stakes for trees	1	00

Printing.

Thomas McAuley, supplies	$ 19	10
The Canadian Freeman	6	50
Thos. McAuley, supplies for Engineer	5	40
The Canadian Freeman	8	50

Contingencies.

Thos. M. Asselstine, costs re Barrett	$ 2	00
H. S. Folger, pauper passage	1	65
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps, Treas. and blank	$ 10	00
J. P. Hanley, pauper passages	10	75
City Registry Office, registration of deeds		87
City Registry Office, registration of deeds	1	29
C. Lewis, removing dead animals	5	25

Police Department.

R. McFaul, curtains	$	10 00

Miscellaneous.

Dominion Government, rent of breakwater	$	1 00
Minnie Ball, typewriting to Nov. 18th		10 00

Water Works.

John Corbett, supplies	$	8 79
Queen City Oil Co., Ltd., Star Compound		16 91
Queen City Oil Co., Ltd., cylinder oil		19 54
Elmer Lawrenson, supplies		14 15
The Gartshore Thomson Pipe Co., supplies		12 25
G. A. Wright, smithwork		2 75
James Eves, cab hire		50
Selby & Youlden, hydrants, etc.		248 02
Selby & Youlden, supplies		16 11
W. A. Mitchell, supplies		3 28
The Frontenac Lumber & Coal Co., lumber		6 76
McKelvey & Birch, supplies		29 01
McKelvey & Birch, supplies		215 44
Pay list, ending Nov. 11th		326 01
Prof. Goodwin, testing cylinder oil		10 00

Light Department.

Dominion Government, electric light inspection	$	38 00
Crouse-Hind Co., supplies		19 90
Selby & Youlden, supplies and repairs		19 83
Selby & Youlden, supplies and repairs		5 68
The Waterous Engine Works Co., steel pulley		51 25
Canadian Gen. Elect. Co., repairing meter		2 43
G. N. W. Tel. Co., (5 messages)		1 58
Central Freight Association, supplement		75
J. D. McArthur & Co., repairing belt		8 65
Eugene F. Phillips Elect. Works, Ltd., supplies		257 53
R. H. Fair, sand		28 75
Lemmon & Sons, cement, etc		97 38
Canadian Gen. Elect. Co., supplies		22 27
K. & P. R.R., demurage (2 bills)		9 00
John Kelly, smithwork		2 25
Queen City Oil Co., oil		3 52
Imperial Chemical Co., supplies		9 00
P. G. Wilmot, hay, feed and bran for Holder		43 10

C. Lewis, cleaning pit	$	2 50
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies		2 52
L. W. Murphy, horse feed		3 30
McKelvey & Birch, supplies		241 88
The Drury Co., screenings		11 63
A. McLean, salt		65
Thos. McAuley, supplies		4 45
The Frontenac Lumber Co., lumber		51 96
Jas. Sowards, screenings		97 79
S. Anglin & Co., lumber		2 25
John Corbett, supplies		4 04
Bell Telephone Co., supplies		1 00
G. T. R., freight		69

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor and Chairman;

D. A. GIVENS,
R. E. KENT,
J. S. R. McCANN,
T. J. RIGNEY,
W. G. CRAIG.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Givens, (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 81 from the Board of Works, as follows:

November 12th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. Your Board recommend that the report of the Board of Works, dated 30th October, 1907, relative to the improvement of streets, be reconsidered.

Your Board are advised that under the Municipal Act the debentures to be issued for the purchase of the road-making machinery recommended by said report to be purchased, must be made payable not more than five years from the date of issue and that the said debentures may be issued under the authority of a by-law of this Council and that it is not necessary to obtain the assent of the rate-

payers to such by-law. In view of this, your Board recommended that the by-law to be submitted to the rate-payers, as recommended by the said report, be to authorize the issue of debentures for the sum of $12,000 for the following purposes:

(*a*) To apply $2,500 of said sum in the purchase from the heirs of the late William Allen, for quarry purposes, or those certain parcels or tracts of land in the City of Kingston known and described as (1) part of Farm Lot Number One, west of the great Cataraqui River, butted and bounded as follows: Commencing on the east side of Montreal street at a point forty feet north of the southerly limit of the property now owned by the heirs of the late William Allen, thence easterly parallel to said southerly limit 220 feet to a point, thence northerly at right angles to the said southerly limit 480 feet to a point, thence westerly at right angles to said last mentioned line 220 feet to a point in the east limit of Montreal street 500 feet from the place of beginning, thence southerly along the easterly limit of Montreal street 500 feet to the place of beginning.

(*b*) Part of Farm Lot Number One, west of the great River Cataraqui, butted and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point in the east limit of Montreal street 940 feet from the south limit of the property owned by the heirs of the late William Allen, thence northerly along the easterly limit of Montreal street 400 feet to a point, thence easterly at right angles to Montreal street 300 feet to a point, thence southerly parallel to Montreal street 400 feet to a point, thence westerly in a line at right angles to Montreal street 300 feet to the place of beginning on Montreal street.

(*c*) To apply $9,500, the balance of said sum, in the construction, reconstruction and improvement of certain streets in the City of Kingston.

Your Board recommend that in the event of said by-law being approved by the ratepayers on submission to them as aforesaid, a by-law be passed by this Council without submission to the rate-payers, authorizing the issue of debentures payable not more than five years from the date of issue for the sum of $7,000 to be applied in the purchase of road-making machinery as mentioned in said report.

Your Board recommend that save and except as herein amended the said report of your Board, dated 30th October, 1907, be adopted.

2. That in lieu of a deposit of $5.00 being made before the inspection of plumbing work in the City and the deducting of an inspection fee from said deposit after the inspection, an inspection fee shall be paid to the City Treasurer at the same time as the application for a permit to do the work is made as follows:

(*a*) A fee of $2.00 when such work is to be done in or on a new house or building then in course of erection.

(*b*) A fee of $1.00 when said work is to be done in or on any house or building which is not new and then in course of erection.

3. That the petition of Mrs. Regan for the removal of a tree in front of No. 52 O'Kill street, be referred to the Chairman and City Engineer with power to act.

4. That the petition of Euphemia Robertson, asking to have two dead trees on the east side of William street, west of Sydenham street, cut down, be granted.

5. That $18.00 be accepted from Miss Sarah Flanagan in settlement of claims for sewer rent for Nos. 82 and 84 Barrie St.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, *Chairman;*
J. S. R. McCANN,
R. E. KENT,
R. J. FREE.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Free, (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted with Clause 2 withdrawn.—Carried.

Water Works.

Ald. Carson presented report No. 82 from the Committee on Water Works, as follows:

November 11th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the petition of Thomas Thurlby and Robert J. Lindsay, asking to have the water system extended along Ellerbeck avenue, between King and Davidson streets, be granted if the proposed local improvement sewer is built, and the petitioners sign a new petition agreeing to pay sixteen dollars per year each for a period of five years.

2. That Thomas Hewitt be appointed to act as arbitrator for the City in adjusting the loss by fire at the Water Works coal shed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. CARSON, *Chairman;*
D. COOPER,
W. G. CRAIG,
T. J. RIGNEY,
D. J. MILLAN.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Rigney, (4) that the report of the Committee on Water Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Ross presented report No. 83 from the Committee on Fire and Light, as follows:

November 12th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

That the account of $5.00 from J. H. Bell, M.D., for attendance on Fireman W. Sands, injured at the Water Works coal and shed fire be paid.

That this Committee be authorized to purchase one set of Montreal Fire Department hames at a cost of $40.00.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) A. E. ROSS, *Chairman;*
H. N. ROBERTSON,
D. J. MILLAN,
C. J. GRAHAM,
H. ANGROVE.

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Robertson, (5) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted. —Carried.

Special Committee

Ald. Chown presented report No. 84 from the Committee on Queen Street Sewer Charges, as follows:

Kingston, Ont., November 12th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

The special committee appointed to investigate and apportion the amounts chargeable to the committees in connection with the Queen street sewer, beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

That five-eighths of the cost of the construction of the Queen street sewer be charged against the revenues of the Light Plant and the remaining three-eighths against the general funds of the City, and that a by-law for the issue of debentures to cover the whole amount be submitted to the electors at the Municipal elections of 1908.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor and Chairman;

G. Y. CHOWN,
J. GASKIN,
R. H. TOYE.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Gaskin, (6) that the report of the special Committee on Queen Street Sewer Charges be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 42, 1907. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Ross in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW, No. 42, 1907.

A By-Law to authorize the construction of a Common Sewer in a part of Ellerbeck Street, in the City of Kingston, as a local improvement, under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

Passed Nov. 18th, 1907.

WHEREAS, the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston has received a petition sufficiently signed, according to the provisions of the said Act, praying for the construction of a Common Sewer in that part of Ellerbeck Street, from King Street north 462 feet towards Davidson Street, in the City of Kingston, as a local improvement as aforesaid, to be paid for by special assessment of the real property immediately benefited thereby, and as hereinafter provided, and it is expedient to construct the said sewer as prayed;

AND WHEREAS, the estimated cost of the said improvement, including interest on the temporary loan to be raised in connection with its construction, as hereinafter provided, is $840, part of which cost, estimated at $262.50, is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, as required by law, but it is deemed advisable to defer making the special assessment for the part of the cost of the said sewer to be levied for by such assessment until the exact cost of the said work has been ascertained after its completion;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the said Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. A Common Sewer shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as a local improvement under the provision of the said Act, to be paid for by a special assessment of the lands immediately benefited thereby, except that part of the cost of, and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, in the said part of Ellerbeck Street hereinbefore in the recital to this By-Law mentioned and described, the said sewer to have a sectional area of 63.617 and to be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by the City Engineer, and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sewer, except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loan therefor hereinafter mentioned, and meet the interest and principal of the debentures to be issued for the same, as hereinafter mentioned in Sction 4, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said improvement, and liable to be assessed according to the frontage thereof for a period to be hereafter determined, but within the probable life of the said improvement, as shall be certified by the City Engineer, which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law; but to enable this council to avoid the necessity of making a supplementary assessment or a refund in case of an overassessment, such assessment shall not be made until the exact cost of the said improvement has been ascertained after its completion, and in the meantime a temporary loan shall be effected to meet such cost, except as aforesaid, as provided by law in such cases.

3. Upon the completion of the said improvement and the ascertainment of its exact cost, the City Engineer shall make measurements of the frontage of the real property liable to the said rate, of the frontages of the real property exempt from taxation, and the frontages of the several lots or parcels of land liable to such rate, with the names of the owners thereof, so far as they can be ascertained from the last revised Assessment Roll, and he shall prepare a statement of the same in duplicate, and one of such duplicate statements he shall file in the office of the City Clerk, and the other he shall file in his own office, and the statement filed in the City Clerk's office shall be open to inspection during office hours, and the said City Clerk shall forthwith on the filing of the said statement take the necessary proceedings for the revision of the same by the Court of Revision and by the County Judge, in case of appeal, as required by law.

4. Upon the completion of the said improvement the City Engineer shall ascertain the exact cost of the said improvement, exclusive of the interest on the temporary loan aforesaid, and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council shall be deducted, and the interest on the temporary loan being added to the balance thus obtained, the said special assessment, after the statement aforesaid shall have been finally revised, shall be made thereon for the said amount and to repaiy the said temporary loan and interest the said amount shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation, which shall be issued on the security of the said special assessment, and may be further guaranteed by this Council if it see fit, as provided by law, and the necessary By-Law shall be passed for the said purposes.

5. This Council shall provide out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan to be raised upon debentures issued for the purpose, as authorized by law, the cost of all culverts and other works necessary for street surface drainage made in connection with the said sewer, and also the cost of that part of the said sewer, which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of street intersections, and also one-half of the cost of that part of the said sewer done or made opposite real property, if such property is but on one side of it, which by any general or special act is exempt from special or local assessment, and also the cost of the whole of that part of the said sewer done or made opposite real property, if such property is on both sides of it, which is so exempt from special or local assessment.

6. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, *Mayor.*

[L.S.]

W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

Ald. Gaskin presented By-Law No. 43, 1907. The By-Law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Toye in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW, No. 43, 1907.

A By-Law to authorize the construction of a Common Sewer in a part of Rideau Street, in the City of Kingston, as a local improvement, under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

Passed November 18, 1907.

WHEREAS, the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston has received a petition sufficiently signed, according to the pro-

visions of the said Act, praying for the construction of a Common Sewer in that part of Rideau Street, between a point opposite centre of houses Nos. 15 and 17 and connect with sewer in Barrack Street, in the City of Kingston, as a local improvement as aforesaid, to be paid for by special assessment of the real property immediately benefited thereby, and as hereinafter provided, and it is expedient to construct the said sewer as prayed;

And Whereas, the estimated cost of the said improvement, including interest on the temporary loan to be raised in connection with its construction, as hereinafter provided, is $375, part of which cost, estimated at $149.60, is to be provided for by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, as required by law, but it is deemed advisable to defer making the special assessment for the part of the cost of the said sewer to be levied for by such assessment until the exact cost of the said work has been ascertained after its completion;

Be it Therefore Enacted by the said Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. A Common Sewer shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as a local improvement under the provision of the said Act, to be paid for by a special assessment of the lands immediately benefited thereby, except that part of the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, in the said part of Rideau Street hereinbefore in the recital to this By-Law mentioned and described, the said sewer to have a sectional area of 63.617 sq. inches and to be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by the City Engineer, and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sewer, except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loan therefor hereinafter mentioned, and meet the interest and principal of the debentures to be issued for the same, as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said improvement, and liable to be assessed according to the frontage thereof for a period to be hereafter determined, but within the probable life of the said improvement, as shall be certified by the City Engineer, which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law; but to enable this Council to avoid the necessity of making a supplementary assessment or a refund in case of an over-assessment, such assessment shall not be made until the exact cost of the said improvement has been ascertained after its completion, and in

the meantime a temporary loan shall be effected to meet such cost, except as aforesaid, as provided by law in such cases.

3. Upon the completion of the said improvement and the ascertainment of its exact cost, the City Engineer shall make measurements of the frontage of the real property liable to the said rate, of the frontages of the real property exempt from taxation, and of the frontages of the several lots or parcels of land liable to such rate, with the names of the owners thereof, so far as they can be ascertained from the last revised Assessment Roll, and he shall prepare a statement of the same in duplicate, and one of such duplicate statements he shall file in the office of the City Clerk, and the other he shall file in his own office, and the statement filed in the City Clerk's office shall be open to inspection during office hours, and the said City Clerk shall forthwith on the filing of the said statement take the necessary proceedings for the revision of the same by the Court of Revision and by the County Judge, in case of appeal, as required by law.

4. Upon the completion of the said improvement the City Engineer shall ascertain the exact cost of the said improvement, exclusive of the interest on the temporary loan aforesaid, and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council shall be deducted, and the interest on the temporary loan being added to the balance thus obtained, the said special assessment, after the statement aforesaid shall have been finally revised, shall be made thereon for the said amount, and to repay the said temporary loan and interest the said amount shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation, which shall be issued on the security of the said special assessment, and may be further guaranteed by this Council if it see fit, as provided by law, and the necessary By-Law shall be passed for the said purposes.

5. This Council shall provide out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan to be raised upon debentures issued for the purpose, as authorized by law, the cost of all culverts and other work necessary for street surface drainage made in connection with the said sewer, and also the cost of that part of the said sewer, which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of street intersections and also one-half of the cost of that part of the said sewer done or made opposite real property, if such property is but on one side of it, which by any general or special act is exempt from special or local assessment, and also the cost of the whole of that part of the said sewer done or made opposite real property, if such property is on both sides of it, which is so exempt from special or local assessment.

6. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, *Mayor.*

[L.S.]

W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

Ald. Gaskin presented By-Law No. 44, 1907. The By-Law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Angrove in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW, No. 44, 1907.

A By-Law to authorize the construction of Artificial Stone sidewalks in the streets and parts of streets in the City of Kingston set out in the schedule hereto annexed, as local improvements, under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

Passed November 18, 1907.

WHEREAS, the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston has received petitions sufficiently signed, according to the provisions of the said Act, praying for the construction of the several sidewalks on the streets and parts of streets in the City of Kingston, set out in the schedule hereto annexed, as local improvements, sixty per cent. of the cost thereof and in connection with the said improvements to be paid for by special assessment of the real property immediately benefited thereby and the remaining forty per cent. of said cost to be provided by said Municipality and as hereinafter provided, and it is expedient to construct the said sidewalks as prayed;

AND WHEREAS, the estimated cost of the said several sidewalks, including interest on the several temporary loans to be raised in connection with the construction of the same as hereinafter provided, is as set out in Column 5 of said Schedule, part of which cost, estimated at the several sums set out in Column 6 of said Schedule, is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, as required by law, but it is deemed advisable to defer making the several special assessments for the part of the cost of the said several Sidewalks to be levied by such assessment until the exact cost of the said several sidewalks has been ascertained after the completion of the same;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the said Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston by an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members thereof, as follows:

1. Artificial Stone Sidewalks shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as local improvements under the provision of the said

Act, to be paid for by several special assessments of the lands immediately benefited by each such improvement, except that part of the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, in the said streets and parts of streets in the Schedule to this By-Law mentioned and described, which said sidewalks shall be constructed according to the plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by the City Engineer, and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sidewalks, except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loans therefor hereinafter mentioned, and to meet the interest and principle of the debentures to be issued for the same, as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said several improvements, and liable to be assessed, according to the frontage thereof, for a period in each case to be hereafter determined, but within the probable life of the said several improvements, as shall be certified by the City Engineer, which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law ;but to enable this Council to avoid the necessity of making a supplementary assessment or a refund in case of an over-assessment in respect of each such improvement, such assessment shall not be made until the exact cost of the said several improvements has been ascertained after the completion of the same, and in the meantime temporary loans shall be effected in each case to meet such cost, except as aforesaid, as provided by law in such cases.

3. Upon the completion of the said several improvements and the ascertainment of the exact cost of each of the same, the City Engineer shall, in respect of each of the said improvements, make measurements of the frontages of the real property exempt from taxation, and of the frontages of the several lots or parcels of land liable to such rate, with the names of the several owners thereof, so far as they can be ascertained from the last revised Assessment Roll, and he shall prepare a statement of the same in duplicate in respect of each of the said several improvements, and one of such duplicate statements in respect of each such improvement, he shall file in the office of the City Clerk, and the other he shall file in his own office, and the statements filed in the City Clerk's office shall be open to inspection during office hours, and the said City Clerk shall forthwith on the filing of the said statements take the necessary proceedings for the revision of the same by the Court of Revision and by the County Judge, in case of appeal, as required by law.

4. Upon the completion of the said several improvements the City Engineer shall ascertain the exact cost of the said several improvements, exclusive of the interest on the temporary loans aforesaid, and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council in respect of each such improvement shall be deducted from the cost so ascertained of such improvement, and the interest on the temporary loan in respect of each such improvement having been added to the balance thus obtained in each case, the said special assessments, after the said several statements shall have been finally revised, shall be made for the said several amounts, and to repay the said several temporary loans and interest, the said amounts shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation, which shall be issued on the security of the said several special assessments, and may be further guaranteed by this Council if it see fit, as provided by law, and the necessary By-Laws shall be passed for the said purposes.

5. This Council shall provide out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan to be raised upon debentures issued for the purpose, as authorized by law, forty per cent. of the cost of the said improvements in addition to the part of such cost to be paid by the Municipality being the cost of those parts of the said sidewalks which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of street intersections and also the cost of those of said sidewalks which are opposite real property which is exempt from special or local assessment.

6. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, *Mayor.*

[L.S.]

W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

SCHEDULE.

Chestnut street, south side, from Prime to Cherry. The estimated total cost of improvements, $217.20; portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality, $91.68.

Redan street, west side, from Balaclava to Raglan Road. The estimated cost of total improvements, $307.20; portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality, $143.04.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-Law No. 45, 1907. The By-Law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Carson in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW, No. 45, 1907.

A By-Law to authorize the construction of Cement or Concrete Sidewalks in the streets and parts of streets set out in the Schedule hereto annexed, in the City of Kingston, as local improvements under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf.

Passed November 18th, 1907.

WHEREAS, in the opinion of two-thirds of the members present at a regular meeting of this Council it is desirable in the public interest that Cement or Concrete Sidewalks should be laid down on the streets and parts of streets in the City of Kingston severally set out in the schedule hereto annexed, as local improvements under the provisions of the Municipal Act.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED, by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, by an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members thereof, as follows:—

1. Cement or Concrete Sidewalks shall be forthwith constructed by this Council as local improvements under the provisions of the said Acts, to be paid for by several special assessments of the real property immediately benefited thereby liable to assessment except that part of the cost of and connected with the same which is to be provided by this Council out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan as hereinafter mentioned in Section 5, on the said streets and parts of streets in the schedule to this By-Law here annexed, mentioned and described, which said sidewalks shall be constructed according to plans and specifications for the same prepared or to be prepared by the City Engineer, and under the direction and superintendence of the said City Engineer.

2. To provide for the cost of the said sidewalks, except as aforesaid, and the interest on the temporary loans hereinafter mentioned, and to meet the interest and principal of the debentures to be issued for the same, as hereinafter mentioned in Section 4, an annual special rate for the same shall be assessed and levied on the said real property immediately benefited by the construction of the said several improvements, and liable to be assessed according to the frontage of the said property, for a period to be hereinafter determined, but within the probable life of the said several improvements as shall be certified by the said City Engineer, which said rate shall be assessed, levied and collected as provided by law: but to enable this Council to avoid the necessity of making a supplementary assessment in any case, or a refund in case of an over-assessment in any case, such assessments shall not be finally made until the exact cost of the said several improvements has been ascertained after the

completion of the same, and in the meantime temporary loans shall be effected to meet such cost, as provided by law in such cases.

3. Upon the completion of the said several improvements and the ascertainment of the exact cost of each of the same, the City Engineer shall in respect of each of said improvements, make measurements of the frontages of the real property exempt from taxation and of the frontages of the several lots or parcels of land liable to such rate, with the names of the several owners thereof, so far as they can be ascertained from the last revised Assessment Roll, and he shall prepare a statement of the same in duplicate in respect of each of the said several improvements, and one of such duplicate statements in respect of each such improvement he shall file in the office of the City Clerk and the other he shall file in his own office, and the statement filed in the City Clerk's office shall be open to inspection during office hours, and the said City Clerk shall forthwith on the filing of the said statements take the necessary proceedings for the revision of the same by the Court of Revision, and by the County Judge in case of appeal.

4. Upon the completion of the said several improvements the City Engineer shall ascertain their exact cost, exclusive of the interest on the temporary loans aforesaid, and the part of such cost to be provided by this Council in respect of each such improvement shall be deducted from the cost so ascertained of such improvement and the interest on the temporary loan in respect of each such improvement having been added to the balance thus obtained in each case, the said special assessments, after the said several statements have been finally revised, shall be made for the said several amounts: and to repay the said several temporary loans and interest, the said amount shall be raised or borrowed upon the debentures of this Corporation, which shall be issued upon the security of the said several special assessments and may be further guaranteed by this Council if it sees fit, as provided by law, and the necessary By-Laws shall be passed for the said purposes.

5. The Council shall provide out of the general funds of the Municipality, or by a loan to be raised upon debentures issued for the purpose, as authorized by law, forty per cent. of the cost of the said improvement and also the cost of that part of the said sidewalk which is incurred at and is chargeable in respect of street intersections, and also the cost of that part of said sidewalks which is opposite real property which is exempt from special or local assessment.

6. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, *Mayor.*

W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

SCHEDULE.

Orchard street, west side, from Cataraqui northerly 359½ feet. The estimated cost of total improvements, $294.80; portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality, $142.40. (In lieu of walk on Orchard St., west side, Cataraqui St. northerly 293½ feet, authorized by By-law No. 37.)

Montreal street, west side, from James street northerly 164½ feet. The estimated cost of total improvements, $164.50; portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality, $115.90. (In lieu of walk on Montreal street, west side, James to Stephen street, authorized by By-law No. 37.)

Sydenham street, east side, from Bay street northerly to north limit of Lot No. 5. The estimated cost of total improvements, $431.00; portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality, $193.04. (In lieu of walk on Sydenham street, west side, Raglan Rd. to Bay street, authorized by By-law No. 37.)

Stanley street, north side, from Division street to Lansdowne street. The estimated cost of total improvements, $290.40; portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality, $125.04.

York street, north side, from Alma street to Barrie street. The estimated cost of total improvements, $142.40; portion of the estimated cost to be provided by the Municipality, $69.92.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-Law No. 46, 1907. The By-Law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Chown in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW, No. 46, 1907.

A By-Law to authorize the issue of debentures of the Corporation of the City of Kingston to the amount of $12,000 for the purposes therein mentioned.

Passed.....

WHEREAS it is necessary and expedient to reconstruct and improve the roads on and along certain streets in the City of Kingston.

AND WHEREAS it is necessary and expedient for the purposes of such reconstruction and improvement to purchase at and for the price or sum of $2,500, for use for quarry purposes, from the heirs of the late William Allen, those certain parcels or tracts of land situate on the east side of Montreal street in the City of Kingston and being parts of Farm Lot No. One west of the great River Cataraqui and more particularly described in the report of the Board

of Works in that behalf dated 12th November, 1907, and adopted by Council on the 18th day of November, 1907.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient and necessary to expend the sum of $9,500 in and about the said reconstruction and improvement of certain streets of the City of Kingston.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to raise the said several sums of $2,500 and $9,500 by the issue of debentures of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as herein provided.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the debt to be created by this By-Law is $12,000.

AND WHEREAS the total amount required to be raised annually during the currency of said debt by special rate on the rateable property liable thereto for paying the said debt and interest as hereinafter provided is $923.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Municipality according to the last revised Assessment Roll, being for the year 1907, is $7,937,240.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the existing debenture debt of the said Municipality exclusive of the local improvements debts secured by special acts, rates or assessments is $1,076,699, and no part of the same or of the interest thereon is in arrear:

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation for the purposes aforesaid to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of said debentures a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the said sum of $12,000 and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purposes aforesaid.

2. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City for the purpose of said loan to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of not less than $100 each as may be required and which said debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the Municipality and signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Treasurer thereof, and together shall not exceed the sum of $12,000.

3. The said debt of $12,000 shall be payable in annual instalments within twenty years from the first day of January, 1908, at the office of the City Treasurer in said City, and the said debentures shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of the interest thereon half yearly as hereinafter provided, which coupons shall be signed by the said Treasurer, and said instalments shall be

of such amounts that the aggregate amount payable for principal and interest in any year shall be equal as nearly as may be to what is payable for principal and interest during each of the other years of said period and the said debentures shall be issued accordingly.

4. The said debentures shall be dated on the first day of January, 1908, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and a half per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly on the first day of January and July in each year at the office of the said City Treasurer in the City of Kingston.

5. For the payment of the said debt and the interest to become due thereon an annual sum of $923 shall be raised in each year of the said period of twenty years by a special rate upon all the rateable property in said Municipality.

6. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

7. The votes of the duly qualified electors of the said Municipality shall be taken upon this By-Law at the same hour, on the same day, and at the same places and by the same deputy returning officers, as for the annual Election for the Municipal Council of said City for the year 1908.

8. On the 30th day of December, 1907, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the Mayor of the said City shall attend at the office of the City Clerk in said City for the purpose of appointing and shall appoint in writing signed by him, two persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes given for and against this By-Law and one person to attend at each polling place on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of promoting the passing of this By-law, and a like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of opposing the passing of this By-Law which place, day and hour are hereby fixed for said purpose.

9. On the seventh day of January, 1908, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, at his office in the City of Kingston, the Clerk of the said Municipality shall attend and sum up the number of votes for and against the By-law.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, *Mayor.*

[L.S.]

W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

MOTIONS.

1. Re Board of Education to submit question at Municipal Election.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Kent, (7) that the following question be submitted to the electors at the time of the Municipal Election in January next:

(*a*) Are you in favor of making the first form, including commercial work, in the Collegiate Institute free, the sum now collected in fees, about $1,500, to be raised by general taxation?

(*b*) Are you in favor of making the Collegiate Institute free in all its departments, the sum now raised in fees, about $6,000, to be raised by general taxation?

Kingston Township Agricultural Association, re use of Fair Grounds to hold Fair.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. McCann, (8) that the request of the deputation from the Township of Kingston Agricultural Association be referred to the Committee on City Property to report.—Carried.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Givens, that Council do now adourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.30 p.m.

Mayor. *City Clerk.*

Kingston, December 2, 1907.

The regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 p.m., His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Cooper, Douglas, Elliott, Free Gaskin, Givens, Henderson, Kent, Millan, Nickle, Rigney, Robertson, Toye.

TO ADOPT MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Givens, (1) that the minutes of last meeting be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

From W. M. Follest, asking for remission of taxes for the year 1907, on account of being unable to pay.

T. J. Rigney for Peter Devlin, asking remission of portion of business tax for year 1907.

BOARD OF WORKS.

From J. B. Walkem, asking remuneration on account of damage to roof and eave through the falling of a tree.

From Thomas James, asking permission to remove a small building from York to Sixth street.

Mrs. Joseph Ryder *re* new crossing and electric light at 914 Princess street.

WATER WORKS.

Thomas Hewitt, Superintendent, asking for leave of absence on account of ill health.

LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.

Hydro-Electric Power Commission *re* estimates as to the cost of power for Kingston.

FYLE.

City Auditor, showing number of patients in hospitals, Nov. 20th, 1907.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Elliott presented report No. 85 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows:

Friday, November 29th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the sum of $302.50 be added to the appropriation of the Printing Committee.

2. That the City Clerk insert in the daily press an "ad." for all outstanding accounts against this Corporation.

3. That the request of Joseph Abramson, president of the Kingston Independent Hebrew congregation, for remission of $29.40, taxes on their hall, cor. Princess and Montreal Sts., be granted.

4. That the application of A. Davis & Son for exemption from taxes on the tannery, the same as last year, be granted.

5. That motion No. 14 of the Minutes of Council, June 18th, 1906, page 233, 1906 Minutes, be reconsidered, and that the Auditor be relieved of that duty.

6. That on recommend of the Court of Revision, Zotique Prevost be refunded the sum of $21.00, having been assessed as a manufacturer on a 60 per cent. basis, when he should have been assessed as a merchant on a 30 per cent. basis.

7. That the following accounts be paid:

Board of Works.

F. Tracey, smithwork	$ 7 95
F. Whitney, soft coal for roller	1 05
Water Works, water for cement walks, 1907	25 00
G. T. R., freight pulley block	60
Booth & Co., coal for roller	45 60
The Frontenac Lumber Co., lumber and coal	30 20
Light Dept., material and labor for tar drain	103 72
Light Dept., material Queen street sewer	71 00
Pay list, ending Nov. 27th	899 22
J. M. Elliott, supplies	11 40
Thos. B. Angrove, manholes	38 00
The Frontenac Lumber Co., lumber	53 53
Water Works, scale	8 00

S. Anglin & Co., sawing	7 85
John Coyle, cab hire, Ward inspection	5 00
Alex. Tait, gravel and carting	75 93
S. Grimshaw, labor, walks and crossings	166 27
Lemmon & Sons, cement and supplies	92 58

Fire and Light.

R .G. Armstrong, horse blankets	$ 5 60
W. P. Peters, hay No. 2 station	13 00
George Hentig, supplies	16 15
M. Dolan, 1 set fire hames	40 00
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	5 77
A. Strachan, supplies	13 49
Bailey Broom Co., brooms	3 50
Simmons Bros., supplies	2 85
C. J. Corrigan, blankets	3 75
H. Willon, repairs to harness	2 95
H. Jennings, rubber boots	12 00
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	1 40
W. P. Peters, hay, No. 2 Station	12 40
W. P. Peters, straw, No. 2 Station	5 29
W. P. Peters, oats, No. 2 Station	18 00
W. P. Peters, oats, No. 2 Station	18 00
W. P. Peters, oats, No. 1 Station	18 00
W. P. Peters, straw, No. 1 Station	1 16
Peter Lowery, horseshoeing	6 08

City Property.

F. Whitney, wood	$ 70 25
Queen City Oil Co., floor oil	2 50
R. J. Reid, mirror	1 10
W. B. Dalton & Sons, floor brush	4 50
Pay list, ending November 13th	87 84
C. Lewis, cleaning market closet	1 75
Taylor and Hamilton, labor and supplies	19 48
J. S. Henderson, matches	1 00
Pay list, ending November 23rd	124 65
T. McMahon & Co., glass and glazing	18 40
Estate of G. R. Tomlinson, electrical supplies and labor	41 61
Lemmon & Sons, cement	20 10

Parks.

H. W. Isaacson, tulip bulbs	$ 2 15
John Corbett, paint	95
Estate G. R. Tomlinson, supplies for band stand	2 10

Printing.

The British Whig	$555 52

Contingencies.

Kingston & Pembroke R.R., pauper passage	$ 2 10
Canadian Express Co.	40
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps, City Clerk	5 00
The Bell Telephone Co.	25
Cataraqui Cemetery Co., interment of man found in harbor	4 00
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps, City Engineer	3 00
R. E. Wilson, Livery, delivering Voters' Lists	1 00

Miscellaneous.

P. Walsh, coal	$170 75
Minnie Ball, typewriting to December 2nd	10 00

Police Department.

Estate G. R. Tomlinson, electric wiring, etc., Police Magistrate's and Chief's rooms	$ 30 44

Water Works.

F. Tracey, smithwork	$ 1 47
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies	2 90
Pay list, ending November 25th	151 91

Light, Heat and Power.

Pay list, ending November 15th	$922 67
Selby and Youlden, on oil tank	1,000 00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	125 00
G. A. Wright, smithwork	49 50
W. Cockburn, smithwork	48 57
Queen City Oil Co., machine oil	33 57
Crouse-Hinds Co., switches	14 55
Halliday Electric Co., supplies	1 00
W. Cockburn, smithwork	7 35
Water Works, for services	2 28
Water Works, testing tank and settling excavation	40 00
Bell Telephone Co.	2 15
Canadian Westinghouse Co., brushes	7 20
James Swift & Co., freight (5 bills)	7 33
A. McLean, salt and tallow	1 21
The R. E. T. Pringle Co., Ltd., wire	17 70
The Canadian General Elect. Co., wire	15 73
The Canadian General Elect. Co., meters	25 65
The Canadian General Elect. Co., meters	51 30
The Queen City Oil Co., gas oil	2,918 40

F. Tracey, smithwork	1 40
Dominion Government, duty and entry on switches	6 35
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps	4 00
K. & P. R.R., freight	2 31
G. T. R., freight (4 bills)	3 02
Canadian Express (5 bills)	4 45
Dominion Express Co.	45

Board of Health.

British Whig	$ 1 25

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor and Chairman.
D. A. GIVENS,
R. F. ELLIOTT,
R. E. KENT,
T. J. RIGNEY,

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Rigney, (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 86 from the Board of Works as follows:

November 28th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the letter from Henry Sewrry & Co., *re* snow-plow, be filed.

2. That the communication from Michael P. Ryan, *re* claim for damages to his syndicate horse be referred to the Light, Heat and Power Committee.

3. That your Committee be authorized to obtain tenders for a complete crushing outfit.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, *Chairman;*
R. J. FREE.
C. J. GRAHAM,
R. F. ELLIOTT.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott, (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received as adopted.—Carried.

Water Works.

Ald. Carson presented report No. 87 from the Committee on Water Works, as follows:

November 25th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the water rate for private baths be reduced from $1.60 to $1.00 net per year; private closets, from $2.40 to $2.00 net per year, and the water rate for dwellings, with the exception of those rates under agreement for a period of five years, be reduced 10 per cent. from the first day of January next.

2. That a minimum rate of $3.00 net per year be fixed, as it is the opinion of your committee that no water should be supplied to consumers below that rate.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. CARSON, *Chairman;*
T. J. RIGNEY,
D. J. MILLAN.
D. COOPER,
W. F. NICKLE,
E. HENDERSON.

Moved by Ald. Carson ,seconded by Ald. Rigney, (4) that the report of the Committee on Water Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Gaskin presented By-law No. 47. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Cooper in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW, No. 47, 1907.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 24 of the Revised By-laws.

Passed.....

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:—

1. Section 2 of By-law No. 24 of the Revised By-laws of the City of Kingston is amended by adding the following words at the end thereof:

"And shall at the same time pay to the City Treasurer an inspection fee of $2 where such work is to be done in or on a new house or building then in course of erection and an inspection fee of $1 where said work is to be done in or on any house or building which is not new and then in course of erection."

2. Section 72 of said By-law No. 24 is amended by striking out all the words therein after the words "City Engineer" in the third line thereof.

3. Section 77 of said By-law No. 24 is amended by striking out all the words therein after the word "charge" in the fifth line thereof.

4. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, *Mayor.*
[L.S.]
W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

Ald. Chown presented By-law No. 48, 1907. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, was read a second time.

BY-LAW, No. 48, 1907.

A By-law to authorize the issue of debentures of the Corporation of the City of Kingston to the amount of $3,800 for the purposes therein mentioned.

Passed.....

WHEREAS it was expedient and necessary on sanitary grounds to construct an outlet for the sewers which discharge into the waters of the harbor at the foot of Queen street, in the City of Kingston:

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to raise by way of loan on the debentures of the said Corporation the sum of $3,800, being the actual cost of constructing said outlet:

AND WHEREAS the amount of the debt to be created by this By-law is $3,800;

AND WHEREAS the total amount required to be raised annually during the currency of said debt by special rate on the rateable property liable thereto for paying the said debt and interest as hereinafter provided is $293;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Municipality, according to the last revised Assessment Roll, being for the year 1907, is $7,937.240;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the existing debenture debt of the said Municipality exclusive of the local improvements debts secured by special acts, rates or assessments, is $1,076,699.80, and no part of the same or of the interest thereon is in arrear;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation for the purposes aforesaid to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of said debentures a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the said sum of $3,800 and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurers of the said Corporations for the purpose aforesaid.

2. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City for the purposes of said loan, to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of not less than $100 each as may be required and which said debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the Municipality and signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Treasurer thereof, and together shall not exceed the sum of $3,800.

3. The said debt of $3,800 shall be payable in annual instalments within twenty years from the first day of January, 1908, at the office of the City Treasurer in said City, and the said debentures shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of the interest thereon half-yearly as hereinafter provided, which coupons shall be signed by the said Treasurer, and said instalments shall be of such amounts that the aggregate amount payable for principal and interest in any year in respect of the debt shall be equal as nearly as may be to what is payable for principal and interest during each of the other years of said period and the said debentures shall be issued accordingly.

4. The said debentures shall be dated on the first day of January, 1908, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and a half per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly on the first day of January and July in each year at the office of the said City Treasurer in the City of Kingston.

5. For the payment of the said debt and the interest to become due thereon an annual sum of $203 shall be raised in each year of the said period of twenty years by a special rate upon all the rateable property in said Municipality.

6. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

7. The votes of the duly qualified electors of the said Municipality shall be taken upon this By-law, at the same hour, on the same day, and at the same places, and by the same Deputy Returning officers as for the annual election for the Municipal Council for the year 1908.

8. On the 30th day of Dec., 1907, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the Mayor of the said City shall attend at the office of the City Clerk in said City for the purpose of appointing and shall appoint in writing signed by him, two persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes given for and against this By-law and one person to attend at each polling place on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of promoting the passing of this By-law, and a like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of opposing the passing of this By-law, which place, day and hour are hereby fixed for said purpose.

9. On the 7th day of January, 1908, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, at his office in the City of Kingston, the Clerk of the said Municipality shall attend and sum up the number of votes for and against the By-law.

MOTIONS.

1. *Re* Unexpended portion grant, King street breakwater.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott, (5) that the unexpended portion of grant for King street breakwater be placed to the credit of the Board of Works to be used for other purposes.

2. *Re* Passing of the Street Meeting By-law.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott, (6) that in the opinion of this Council it is in the highest degree important in the interests of the City at large that the By-law about to be submitted to the ratepayers to authorize the issue of debentures to carry out the scheme of road improvement adopted by this Council should be approved on such submission;

That to insure the approval of said By-law it is in the opinion of the Council necessary that the electors should be fully informed upon the subject.

That while the gratifying success which has this summer attended the work of reconstructing certain important roads in the City, namely, King street, Johnson street and Clarence street, will no doubt be a powerful factor in determining the ratepayers in favor of the By-law, it is in the opinion of this Council important that all lawful means should be employed and every available agency enlisted to carry the By-law.

That the Board of Trade and the Trades and Labor Council business interests of the City have a large stake in the success of the By-law and the scheme of civic improvement which it is designed to carry into effect and having a wide influence with the ratepayers generally seem a body peculiarly adapted to assist this Council in educating the people as to the necessity of the proposed improvement and in securing the passage of this By-law.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Board of Trade of the City be invited to co-operate with this Council in securing the passage of the above By-law at the general Municipal Election in January next; and in case the Board of Trade shall signify its willingness to co-operate as proposed that the Mayor and the Board of Works be appointed to represent this Council, to meet the Board of Trade and the Trades and Labor Council's representatives and to concert measures for securing the object in view.—Carried.

3. *Re* Refund, George Gritezo.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Nickle, (7) that on recommendation of the City Solicitor, Geo. Gritezo be refunded the sum of $25.00, having been charged this amount in error for pedlar's license when he comes under the heading of manufacturing business.—Carried.

4. *Re* Business tax, Peter Devlin.

Moved by Ald. Rigney, seconded by Ald. Toye, (8) that the request of Peter Devlin for remission of business tax as per appeal be granted.—Carried.

5. To adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Free, (8) that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9 p.m.

Mayor. *City Clerk.*

Kingston, December 16, 1907.

The regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 p.m., His Worship Mayor Mowat presiding.

Present:—Ald. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Cooper, Craig, Douglas, Elliott, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, Henderson, Kent, Nickle, Millan, McCann, Rigney, Robertson, Ross, Toye.

TO ADOPT MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Rigney, (1) that the minutes of last meeting be adopted as amended.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

S. Baker, City Clerk, London, Ont., asking Council to assist in securing an amendment to Municipal Act, providing that Municipal Councils be given authority to pass by-law preventing the sale of goods of short weight on the market.

From the International Publishing Co. *re* balance due to subscription on Railway Guide.

Jessie Hughes, Sec. I.O.D.E., asking for refund of money paid for the use of the City Hall for the Charity Ball.

From Charles H. Powell, enclosing account for door carried away on Hallowe'en night.

F. C. Ireland, City Treasurer, *re* examination of the pay lists of Dominion Cotton Mills Co.

Sec. Local Board of Health, *re* recommendation from the Board of Health for construction of Sewer on Raglan Road on sanitary conditions.

COURT OF REVISION.

A. Chown & Co., *re* business tax on Mrs. Leanea's property.

S. E. Allen, *re* remission of taxes for year 1907.

W. J. Burns, executor Livingston's estate, asking refund of income tax of Mrs. W. J. Livingston's for year 1907.

From the Chairman of the Board of Health and Medical Health Officer submitting their annual reports. These communications were ordered to be forwarded to the Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Givens presented report No. 88 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows:

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the following policies for the following accounts have been placed upon Mooers' elevator and that these policies have been deposited with the City Treasurer in conformation with the By-law.

Atlas Insurance Co., $7,500; Hartford Insurance Co., $7,500; Mercantile Co., $5,000, and Standard Mutual, $5,000. Total, $25,000.

2. That the communication of William Follest, asking for remission of taxes for year 1907 be granted on account of inability to pay.

3. That the following accounts be paid:

Board of Works.

John Corbett, supplies	$115 18
Jos. T. Eves, cab hire	3 00
John Kelly, smithwork	1 00
G. N. W. Tel. Co.	29
Selby & Youlden	125 49
G. T. R., freight and cartage, sewer pipe	35 06
W. Cockburn, smithwork (3 bills)	56 02
John Corbett, whitewash brush	40
D. Campbell, horse hire for foreman	20 00
The Canadian Sewer Pipe Co., sewer pipe	213 77
John Marshall, for planting three trees	75
Montreal Transportation Co., beavey	1 50
W. Cockburn, smithwork	61 83
R. H. Fair, sand	27 50
Charles Dinsmore, broken stone	6 75
W. Cockburn, smithwork	20 35
Pay list, ending Dec. 11th	483 81
Alex. Tait, broken stone	1 46
John Corbett, supplies	10 96
The Frontenac Lumber Co., lumber	28 87
S. Grimshaw, labor, walks	59 32

Fire and Light.

George Mills and Co., cap for chief	$ 4	50
Imperial Laundry, Nos. 1 and 2 stations	13	52
Lemmon & Sons, supplies, No. 1 station	13	85
F. J. Hoag, supplies, Nos. 1 and 2 stations	5	75
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies, Nos. 1 and 2 stations	14	40
James Laturney, repairs, No. 2 station	5	40
Taylor & Hamilton, supplies, Nos. 1 and 2 stations	22	22
W. P. Peters, straw, No. 1 station	15	00
D. Hutchinson, Feed, Nos. 1 and 2 stations	39	98
M. Dolan, repairing harness, Nos. 1 and 2 stations	19	00
P. Walsh, coal, Nos. 1 and 2 stations	47	81
H. Jennings, rubber boots, 2 pairs, No. 1 station	8	00
Ashley, repairs alarm boxes, Nos. 1 and 2	3	50
J. Sowards, slabs, No. 2 station	2	50
S. Anglin & Co., lumber, No. 1 station	4	20
Lemmon & Sons, supplies and repairs, No. 1 station	13	54
H. Stratford, extra help water works fire	2	00

City Property.

Robert Wallace, mason work on steps	$ 73	40
Wm. McCartney, plastering police lobby	40	00
John Corbett, castors		40
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies	124	44
James Lee, labor city buildings	37	73
Robinson & Copley, repairs	5	40
Taylor & Hamilton, repairs and supplies	26	98
Mrs. McDonald, scrubbing	8	00
Newman & Shaw, towels	2	10
Montreal Transportation Co., rope	34	40

Parks.

S. Grimshaw, labor	$	99
John Corbett, paint		50

Industries.

Chairman of Industries, adv., etc., 1907	$ 22	27

Contingencies.

J. P. Hanley, pauper passages	$ 12	35
R. Reeves, removing dead animals	15	00
City Registry Office, registration of Deeds, etc.	1	54
S. S. Corbett, coffin and removing remains of dead man found in harbor	12	00

R. Reeves, removing dead animals	3 25
Sheriff of Frontenac, searches	6 10

Miscellaneous.

Municipal World, statutes for Assessor	$ 5 50
Minnie Ball, typewriting to Dec. 16th	10 00

Board of Health.

J. H. Bell, M.D., postage, 1907,	$ 5 00
S. S. Corbett, use of ambulance	4 00
L. T. Best, drugs	2 25

Water Works.

Pay list, ending December 9th	$210 69
John Corbett, coal scoop	1 25
The Robert Mitchell Co., Ltd., service locks	11 03
W. B. Dalton & Sons, scales	10 00
Canadian Express Co.	55
Queen City Oil Co., head-light oil	3 75

Light, Heat and Power.

The R. E. T. Pringle Co., break arms	$ 18 27
Crouse Hinds Co., fuse boxes	7 25
The Canadian Fairbanks Co., pumps	108 00
J. McIlquham, horse hire, line repairs	1 50
Thos. McAuley, supplies	3 40
Lemmon & Sons, cement	75 90
Queen City Oil Co., oil	10 17
The R. E. T. Pringle Co., tape	7 25
Dominion Government, meter and gas inspection	36 25
K. P. & C. Elect. R.R., hauling machinery	10 00
Pay list, ending Nov. 30th	865 78
W. Allen, lime	54 48
The Robert Mitchell Co., gauge	10 00
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	13 70
A. Maclean, tallow	52
Bell Telephone Co., talk to Toronto	1 00
G. N. W. Tel. Co., 1 message	25
F. A. Bibby, livery	5 00
John Corbett, supplies	3 35
Queen City Oil Co., oil	12 02
Lemmon & Sons, cement	19 37
Thos. McAuley, office supplies	5 65
Selby & Youlden, repairs	15 05
James Sowards, screenings	42 06

L. W. Murphy, horse feed, etc.	7 35
J. D. McArthur & Co., repairing belt, etc.	12 70
The Canadian Genl. Elect. Co., cleats	8 22
John Kelly, smithwork	11 15
Peter G. Wilmot, hay and feed	12 49
The Canadian Genl. Elect. Co., iron clamps	8 34
Selby & Youlden, balance on oil tank	355 00
The Canadian Genl. Elect. Co., supplies	6 60
Robert Wallace, syphon stones	13 50
Queen City Oil Co., oil	8 86
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies	42
The Frontenac Lumber Co., lumber	7 91
R. McFaul, mat	1 65
R. Crawford, slabs	2 25
Est. G. R. Tomlinson, supplies	15 28
Est. G. R. Tomlinson, supplies	8 75
Canadian Genl. Elect. Co., meters	234 27
W .Cockburn, smithwork	8 07
Jos. Paradis, board for line men	19 50
Canadian Express Co. (3 bills)	2 20
K. & P. R.R., freight	48
G. T. R., freight	58

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) J. McDONALD MOWAT,
Mayor and Chairman.
D. A. GIVENS,
R. F. ELLIOTT,
T. J. RIGNEY,
R. E. KENT,
J. S. R. McCANN,

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Rigney, (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Gaskin presented report No. 89 from the Board of Works, as follows:

December 12th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows,—

1. That on the advice of the City Solicitor no action on the

claim of Mary V. Brown, for damages to two trees on Markland street on Hallowe'en night.

2. That on the advice of the City Solicitor no action on the communication of Charles Purdy asking for compensation for alleged financial loss suffered during the construction of the Queen street sewer extension.

3. That permission be granted to Thomas James to remove a framed building from York street to Sixth street, provided a proper bond of indemnity to this corporation, approved by the City Solicitor, is given.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN GASKIN, *Chairman;*
C. J. GRAHAM,
R. F. ELLIOTT.
J. S. R. McCANN,
R. E. KENT,

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott, (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—carried.

Water Works.

Ald. Carson presented report No. 90 from the Committee on Water Works, as follows:

December 9th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the request of Superintendent Hewitt for three months' leave of absence, owing to ill health, be granted.

2. That the petition of John Peters and others, asking for the water system to be extended along Victoria street, from Brock to a point about 400 feet north, and agreeing to pay $10 net per year each, for a period of five years, be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. CARSON, *Chairman;*
W. F. NICKLE,
D. COOPER,
T. J. RIGNEY,
D. J. MILLAN.
E. HENDERSON.

Moved by Ald. Carson, Seconded by Ald. Nickle, (4) that the report of the Committee on Water Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Ross presented report No. 91 from the Committee on Fire and Light, as follows:

December 13th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That tenders be asked for 100 feet of hose (two 50 ft. lengths), to replace the hose burnt at the water works coal and shed fire, the same to be paid from the amount now to the credit of this committee.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) A. E. ROSS, *Chairman*,
H. N. ROBERTSON,
W. F. NICKLE,
D. J. MILLAN,
C. J. GRAHAM,
E. HENDERSON,

Moved by Ald. Ross, seconded by Ald. Robertson, (5) that the report from the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

Light, Heat and Power.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 92 from the Committee on Light, Heat and Power, as follows:

December 10th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Light, Heat and Power beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That permission be granted to Mr. Campbell to purchase for the Light, Heat and Power plant, 500 feet No. 6 cable rubber insulated for 3,500 volts, from the Canadian Genl. Elect. Co., at $52.60 per 1,000 feet.

2. That Adelbert Stone, foreman of gas mains, be paid the sum of $15.00 extra work in connection with the Queen street sewer.

3. That the account of William Keyes for hay, amounting to $23.90, be paid.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, *Chairman,*
J. GASKIN,
D. A. GIVENS,
H. DOUGLAS,
D. COOPER,
G. Y. CHOWN,
T. J .RIGNEY,

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Chown, (6) that the report from the Committee on Light, Heat and Power be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Elliott presented report No. 93 from the Committee on City Property and Markets, as follows:

December 11th, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the request of the Kingston Township Agricultural Society to use the fair grounds for the purpose of holding their annual show, be granted, at a cost of $10.00 per day, and the society to make any necessary repairs to the buildings or grounds, and provided that a bond of indemnity, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, is given.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) H. ANGROVE,
D. COOPER,
R. F. ELLIOTT.
C. J. GRAHAM,
A. E. ROSS,

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Douglas, (7) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Rigney presented By-law No. 49. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Craig in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW No. 49.

A By-law to fix the place in each ward in the City of Kingston where the nomination of candidates for the office of Alderman and for the office of Public School Trustee shall take place, and to appoint Returning Officers to hold the said nominations.

Passed December 16, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows,—

1. The nominations of candidates for the office of Alderman and for the office of Public School Trustee in and for the several wards in this City at the next ensuing Municipal Elections shall take place therein respectively at the places hereinafter designated, and shall be held by the respective Returning Officers hereinafter named, that is to say,—

(*a*) Sydenham Ward, at No. 96 William St. Joseph Brophy, Returning Officer.

(*b*) Ontario Ward, at Ontario Hall. Alexander Jamieson, Returning Officer.

(*c*) St. Lawrence Ward, at No. 352 Princess St. John Johnson, Returning Officer.

(*d*) Cataraqui Ward, at No. 82 Queen St. Francis Tracy, Returning Officer.

(*e*) Frontenac Ward, at No. 63 York St. George Keen, Returning Officer.

(*f*) Rideau Ward, at No. 350 University Ave. John Hamer, Returning Officer.

(*g*) Victoria Ward, at corner Union and Division. Ernest T. Roberts, Returning Officer.

2. This By-law shall take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, *Mayor.*
[L.S.]
W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

Ald. Rigney presented By-law No. 50. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Douglas in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW No. 50.

A By-law to appoint Deputy Returning Officers and places for holding the next ensuing Municipal Elections for the City of Kingston, and next ensuing Elections for the office of Public School Trustee in the several wards of the said City.

Passed December 16th, 1907.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows,—

1. The votes of the electors of the City of Kingston at the next ensuing Municipal Elections and the next ensuing Elections for the office of Public School Trustee in said City shall be taken at the following places in the said Municipality and by the following Deputy Returning Officers, namely,—

Sydenham Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 1, at No. 42 Wellington St. Thos. J. Lovitt, Deputy Returning Officer.

Sydenham Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 2, at No. 96 William St. Joseph J. Brophy, Deputy returning Officer.

Ontario Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 3, at Ontario Hall. John Orr, Deputy Returning Officer.

Ontario Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 4, at No. 216 Bagot St. John E. Johnson, Deputy Returning Officer.

St. Lawrence Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 5, at No. 345 King St. Albert E. Loscombe, Deputy Returning Officer.

St. Lawrence Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 6, at No. 352 Princess St. Thomas Henry Bibby, Deputy Returning Officer.

Cataraqui Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 7, at No. 82 Queen St. Wallace Gilmour, Deputy Returning Officer.

Cataraqui Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 8, at No. 229 Wellington St. James Gowan, Deputy Returning Officer.

Cataraqui Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 9, at No. 43 Bagot St. William Woods, Deputy Returning Officer.

Cataraqui Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 10, at corner Montreal and John. James A. Donaldson, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 11, at No. 291 Princess St. John Anderson, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 12, at No. 88 Colborne St. Arthur Montgomery, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 13, at No. 41 Colborne St. William Dean, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 14, at No. 58 John St. Robt. W. Allen, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 15, at No. 21 John St. William J. Robertson, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 16, at corner Colborne and Division. William Saunders, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 17, at No. 619 Princess St. Harry Sharpe, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 18, at No. 346 Brock St. Herbert Holder, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 19, at No. 278 Johnson St. Robert Coffey, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 20, at No. 350 University Ave. Andrew McMahon, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 21, at No. 670 Princess St. John Peters, Deputy Returning Officer.

Victoria Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 22, at No. 216 Earl St. Harry Bates, Deputy Returning Officer.

Victoria Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 23, at No. 3 Division St. Harry Dunlop, Deputy Returning Officer.

Victoria Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 24, at No. 57 King St. Alfred Simmons, Deputy Returning Officer.

Victoria Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 25, at corner Beverley and King. Ford Webster, Deputy Returning Officer.

2. This By-law shall take effect on its passing.

J. McDONALD MOWAT, *Mayor.*

[L.S.]

W. W. SANDS, *City Clerk.*

MOTIONS.

To Pay Officials' Salaries.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Carson, (8) that the salaries of the City officials for the balance of the year be paid on 21st Dec., and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay all accounts signed by the Chairmen of the Standing Committees when certified by the Auditor. This applies to accounts of 1907 only.

To Pay Account of James Richardson and Co. for Rock Elm.

Moved by Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Elliott, (9) that the account of James Richardson & Son for $145.12 for rock Elm for spiles for the Queen St. sewer extension be paid, having been certified to by the Chairman of the Board of Works and City Engineer as accurate.—Carried.

Fire and Light to report re Horses, Fire Department.

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Gaskin, (10) that the Committee on Fire and Light be requested to report to this Council forthwith the number of horses now owned by the Corporation, from whom purchased, price paid for each, and by whom purchased, the condition when purchased and their present condition, for the service of the Department.—Carried.

File Declaration, John Mahoney.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Toye, (11) that the declaration of John Mahoney be filed.—Carried.

Vote of Thanks to the Mayor.

Moved by Ald. Givens, seconded by Ald. Nickle, (12) that the members of Council hereby tender a vote of thanks to His Worship Mayor Mowat, for the fair, impartial and able manner in which he has presided at the meetings of the City Council during the year 1907.—Carried.

To Adjourn until Inaugural Meeting, 1908.

Moved by Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Givens, (13) that this Council do now adjourn until the inaugural meeting in 1908.—Carried.

TO ADJOURN.

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Gaskin, (14) that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10 p.m.

Mayor. *City Clerk.*

SCHEDULE.

Industries.

Kingston, 16th December, 1907.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston,—

The Committee on Industries desires to present the following report of its proceedings during the year.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Your Committee have had correspondence with the following:

Mr. H. J. Matthews, of Lakeport, who for a time was quite enthusiastic regarding the establishing of a canning factory in this city but who, finally, concluded not to make a start this year.

Mr. H. S. Dodd, Toronto, who proposed to establish a plant for wire drawing, rubber, weather proof, lead covering and paper insulation cables.

The Montreal Star, regarding advertising methods.

C. R. Whitehead, Montmorency Falls, Que., through the kindness of the President of the Board of Trade of this City, with a view to locating a new large cotton mill here, but which establishment was finally placed at Three Rivers, Que.

The Wolverine Brass Works, of Grand Rapids, Mich., who contemplated placing a branch in Canada.

H. K. Flagler, of Fort Henry, N.Y., who proposed erecting a tube and pipe works in Canada and who wrote in part, under date 4th April, 1907: "Your city certainly possesses a good many advantages for locating and manufacturing iron and steel products, and if I were intending to locate in Canada I would prefer Kingston to all other points to locate. I have had under consideration for several years with old friends, the establishing of works on the Pacific Coast and have about completed arrangements for building an industry in the Pacific North West."

Mr. Flagler is President and Treasurer of the Fort Henry Tube and Pipe Works, Fort Henry, N.Y., incorporated 28th April, 1906, with a capital stock of $3,000,000, and has had forty years' experience in constructing and managing tube and pipe mills in the United States, hence his opinion of Kingston's advantages for the manufactures of iron and steel should be valuable to companies desiring a location for such purposes.

Messrs. Crandall and Scott, of Picton, regarding a canning factory here with a capital of $50,000, but who, after extended negotiations, concluded to drop the matter for this season. They may take the matter up again next spring.

Mr. C. F. May, of Toronto, who proposed to erect a Cobalt smelter plant worth $100,000, and who was favorably impressed with what this city had to offer and was determined to locate here and put the matter through, but was obliged to give up the project because the parties interested could not put up their subscriptions owing to the slump in the New York stock market.

J. D. Dodds, Toronto, proposing to establish a gas engine and gasoline engine works.

Philip Carey Roofing Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, which company has since located at Hamilton, Ont.

Morton and Company, Toronto, with a view to locating a factory for the manufacture of certain small ware articles.

Mr. Walter Knight, Ingersoll, Ont.

Mr. W. H. Lingham, Belleville.

THE SMELTERS.

Through the influence of the Board of Trade of this city negotiations were entered into by your committee with Mr. John Grey of Guelph, regarding the establishment of a Zinc Smelter here, and with Mr. R. E. Cushman, of Toronto, who proposed to erect a Lead Smelter in this city.

These negotiations resulted in a By-law in favor of each of these enterprises being carried by the qualified electors on the 28th May, 1907. We regret to record, however, that, owing chiefly to the stringency of the money market neither of these projects have commenced operations up to the date of this report, though Mr. Cushman has stated with some assurance that the Lead Smelter will be in operation by next spring. It is hoped that with the return of more favorable financial conditions, both these enterprises may materialize and become industrial centres in accordance with the original project. The city has had many schemes and projects under consideration, which promised a bright industrial future and each one in turn has, with few exceptions, been a disappointment, but we do not despair.

"There's no failure save in giving up."

RAILWAYS.

Process may be said to have been made during the year, and we have good reason to conclude that we shall soon have a direct Grand Trunk line from Kingston to Ottawa, which will at once give the lake front towns and the cities to the west a direct and short route to the capital, a 'desideratum' much to be desired, which must eventually prove of much benefit to this city. The question

too, of changing the main line of the Grand Trunk railway so that it will pass through the city at some advantageous point is also receiving encouraging attention.

CANALS.

Your committee considers that next to the power question in this city or perhaps of equal or more importance than even the matter of power is the enlargement of the Welland Canal and every effort possible should be put forward by the City Council, the Board of Trade, the Press and the citizens generally, to keep this matter before the Federal Government until some tangible action is taken in this direction. This movement is of vital importance to Kingston and more so than to any other city in Canada. With the enlargement of the Welland Canal completed Kingston would at once spring into the front rank of the cities of the Dominion. All the large steamers at present discharging their grain cargoes at Buffalo, N. Y., would be destined for this port and, as the grain producing power of the great north and west is yet in its infancy, though producing now an enormous output, it is almost impossible to contemplate the future of this carrying trade, the bulk of which would as a matter of economy, speed and safety, come to and be handled in our harbor. Nor can the great benefit to the city generally of this transhipment be estimated. Kingston has the greatest interest in this movement of any city in Canada and Kingston must do the urging, the persevering and constant importuning with the Government, till this great work of enlarging the Canal is accomplished. Too long, Kingston has waited for the great progress enjoyed by other cities in the Dominion to come her way, too long our citizens have waited and expected the *boom*, without putting forth an effort to bring it about. Your committee now points the way to progress and asks the citizens to "wake up" and take action. Will they do it?

POWER.

This question has not been lost sight of by your committee during the year. In March last, a circular quoting the approximate cost of electrical power as given by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission was issued with the necessary information to power users in the city, inviting them to state how much power they would or could use and how and when. The result of this attempt to discover the attitude of local users towards this vital question was most discouraging. Out of a total of 2,500 to 3,000 H.P. estimated by your committee as the probable requirements of the city industries only a few gave the matter any attention and the aggregate of the replies represented about 725 H.P. as likely to be applied for.

This amount was considered to be too small to be a factor in guiding the judgment of your committee, except that it showed much apathy and indifference.

Since March and at various intervals, more or less, correspondence has been continued with different power producing schemes. The city Council, itself, was addressed by Mr. J. A. Culverville, who advocated the Northumberland-Durham Power Co., whose power is or will be derived from Healy Falls and lower rapids on the Trent River.

Recent correspondence received from the Hydro-Electric Commission contains the revised estimates of power for Kingston. The following table shows the detailed cost of 24 hour power ready for distribution in the municipality. These estimates are based upon the price of power offered to the Commission by the Northumberland- Paper & Electric Co.

The table also shows that the price depends upon the quantities taken by other municipalities, Belleville, Deseronto, and the Cement Mills situated at a point between Belleville and Deseronto. It will, therefore, be important to ascertain as accurately as possible the quantities that will be required by the several municipalities and the Cement works.

A later communication states that the Commission has had an enquiry from the Corporation of Napanee Light, Heat & Power Co., with reference to power, and also that should Napanee decide to join in taking power it would materially assist in reducing the cost of power to Belleville, Deseronto and Kingston.

POWER ESTIMATES.

	Load H.P.	Total cost per H.P. delivered.
4th Estimate—Belleville	3,000	$ 22 31
Deseronto	500	26 73
Kingston	2,500	26 73
If Cement Mills take 3,000 H.P.		
7th Estimate—Belleville	3,000	$ 20 44
Deseronto	500	24 79
Kingston	2,500	24 81
8th Estimate, Mills taking 3,000 H.P.		
Belleville	3,000	$ 20 84
Deseronto	500	25 86
Kingston	1,000	28 60
9th Estimate, Mills taking 3,000 H.P.		
Belleville	3,000	$ 20 68
Deseronto	500	25 17
Kingston	2,000	25 87

Estimates 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 11 and 12 refer to Belleville and Deseronto, signed on behalf of Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, Approved by T. W. Sothman, Chief Engineer,

November 13th, 1907.

Owing to the claims advanced by the advocates of the Gas, Producer Engine, which it is said can supply power cheaper than water-falls or steam, your committee is of the opinion that the Power question is rather mixed at present and thinks the subject is not sufficiently developed to recommend either the gas or water process. A gas producer plant is being installed at Chatham, in which any fuel can be used, the product of which should be watched with interest and carefully noted.

Respectfully submitted,

W. G. CRAIG, Chairman,

G. Y. CHOWN,

H. N. ROBERTSON.

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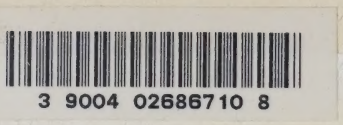
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